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YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 49 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 4 miles. At midnight the temperature was 54 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 52 deg.; cloudy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled; light north winds, changing to westerly.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled; probably rain; brisk southeast winds.

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MAZATLAN (Mex.), Jan. 19.—The Town Council has bought land to enlarge the cemetery. There were six new cases of plague and six deaths today. Seven persons have left the Lazaretto cured. The Charity Committee has received up to date $50,000 from various cities and towns, the money being sent by the relief committees. House burning goes steadily on.

ELGIN DAIRY MARKET.

ELGIN (Ill.) Jan. 19.—Butter—One lot of 300 pounds of butter was offered on the Board of Trade today. Twenty-seven cents was bid, but it was not sold. The committee declared a firm market at 27 cents. Sales of the week, 501,000 pounds.

HELD CONFERENCE ON BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Delegates at Washington Adopt Resolutions Directed at California.

Surgeon-General Wyman Reads a Telegram from Dr. A. P. Glennan at San Francisco That Eighty-seven Cases Have Occurred in Chinatown—Past State Administration Condemned—Demand for Action.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As soon as the delegates to the conference of State boards of health, to deal with the question of bubonic plague in San Francisco began to arrive here last evening, it was clear that there would be a sensational session of the conference today. But it happened there was a sensational meeting of the conference last evening, when a secret caucus was held at a Washington hotel, and the delegates to the conference came mighty near deciding not to allow Dr. Gardner of San Francisco, who was appointed a delegate to the conference by Gov. Pardee, to participate, on the ground that he is surgeon-general for the Southern Pacific Railroad, and some delegates did not think that a railroad surgeon ought to be allowed to enter a conference of this kind, no matter if he were backed up by credentials from the Governor of his State. This scrap, although won by Dr. Gardner, made bad feeling, and the bad feeling was intensified by the decision of the delegates at their secret caucus not to allow Surgeon-General Wyman of the Marine Hospital Service, who lately visited San Francisco, to attend the caucus, although he is, by law of Congress, president of the conference.

Gen. Wyman, however, took it as a matter of course that the delegates intended no discourtesy to him. When today's meeting was called to order at noon, there was apparent among those delegates present a determination to make not only San Francisco, but the entire State of California suffer for the continued existence of bubonic plague at San Francisco. Dr. Gardner brought to the delegates personal assurance from Gov. Pardee that every measure would be adopted to stamp out the disease, and also his personal assurance that all necessary money for the work would be provided by the State of California, if not provided by the city of San Francisco. So intense was the feeling of the delegates against the treatment the Federal authorities and health authorities of other States had received at the hands of Gov. Gage, that they openly refused to believe that Gov. Pardee's pledge was sent to the conference in good faith, or delivered to the conference by Dr. Gardner in good faith.

As the upshot of this lack of faith in the California State administration, resolutions were proposed instructing Dr. Gardner to telegraph to Gov. Pardee and Mayor Schmitz, informing them if they would communicate directly with the conference and give assurances that the State and city boards of health would work together for the stamping out of the disease, the other States, for the present at least, would refrain from declaring a general quarantine against the State of California. Dr. Gardner refused to send such a telegram, on the ground that it would be unjust to Gov. Pardee and Mayor Schmitz to ask them to give personal assurances for the conduct of any State or city board, and this resolution finally was dropped.

Thereafter, another resolution was offered calling upon Secretary of War Root to remove the government transport service from San Francisco on the ground that the health of soldiers being sent to and from the Philippines is being endangered by passing through San Francisco while the plague exists in that city. This resolution, offered by a delegate from Maryland, was carried by a vote of eight to seven, but its commercialism being apparent in a body of professional gentlemen, the vote was afterward reconsidered and the resolution finally dropped.

The day finally ended by the adoption of resolutions of censure for the San Francisco and California health authorities, and an adjournment was had without damage being done to the material interests of the State, either in San Francisco or elsewhere. It was perfectly clear, however, that these representatives of State boards of health, which have authority, under the law to declare a quarantine against the entire State of California, whenever they see fit, are sorely tried with the attitude that has been assumed by some California officials during the last three years, and that had they not been held in check by important influences they would have declared for that quarantine at today's meeting.

That they did not do so was due in considerable measure to the belief existing among the delegates that under the administration of Gov. Pardee, the rights of other States to protect their health would be better respected than under the administration of Gov. Gage. A gentleman from an eastern State, who attended the conference, told The Times correspondent that were Gage Governor of California now, every State having representatives at today's conference would have declared a quarantine against the State, which would be a serious matter for the southern end of the State just at this time of year. As matters now stand, so long as other States have reason to believe California and San Francisco are doing their best to handle conditions in Chinatown, and while the plague does not spread and become epidemic, the business interests of the State will be preserved by increased confidence in the State administration.

PROCEEDINGS IN DETAIL.

SURGEON-GENERAL REPORTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Surgeon-General Wyman of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service and the representatives of the health authorities of nineteen States, Indian Territory and the District of Columbia, met in conference here today to consider the subject of bubonic plague in the United States. Those attending are: California, Dr. Mathew Gardner; Connecticut, Dr. C. A. Lindley; Colorado, Dr. H. P. Bull; Delaware, Dr. C. W. Cooper and Dr. Alexander Lowber; District of Columbia, Dr. William C. Woodward; Indian Territory, Dr. M. B. Thompson; Iowa, Dr. D. T. Kennedy; Indiana, Dr. J. R. Hurty; Louisiana, Dr. Arthur Molte; Maine, Dr. Charles D. Smith; Maryland, Dr. J. S. Fulton; Minnesota, Dr. H. M. Bracken; New Jersey, Dr. Henry Mitchell; North Carolina, Dr. R. H. Lewis; Pennsylvania, Dr. Benjamin Lee; Rhode Island, Dr. G. T. Swarts; South Carolina, Dr. T. C. Simons; Virginia, Dr. H. D. Hollon; New York, Dr. Daniel Lewis; Tennessee, Dr. J. A. Albright.

Surgeon-General Wyman announced that the States represented have asked for a conference. He said that the subject of the recent plague in Mexico was to be considered, but that it "was deemed best to consider first the situation as it exists in San Francisco." The Surgeon-General then advised the conference of the action of the Marine Hospital Service in sending Dr. A. P. Glennan to San Francisco to investigate, and of his (Wyman's) personal visit to San Francisco. He also read a telegram from Dr. Glennan, dated January 17, giving the present status and review of the situation as follows:

"Eighty-seven cases have occurred in Chinatown; six sickened in other parts of the city; none proven to have originated in the country. Total, six whites, four Japanese and eighty-three Chinese since March, 1900. Last case outside of Chinatown, October 31. As man's personal habits were bad, possible Chinatown origin, but I could not trace connection."

The Surgeon-General read a letter from Dr. Glennan, in which he stated that of a total of twenty-two dead rats found in Chinatown within a given period, eleven were discovered to have been infected. Of fifty-four rodents caught alive, four were found to have been infected.

A discussion followed relative to the situation in California. The following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, this conference believes, without a shadow of division of opinion, that plague exists and has existed in San Francisco, the representative from California, Dr. Gardner, is requested to present to this conference within as short a time as possible definite signed assurances from the Governor of the State and the Mayor of San Francisco which will bind the City Board of Health and the State Board of Health, so far as these two men can control those officers, to assume each their several and joint responsibilities in the suppression of plague and to pursue them to the utmost in harmony with each other and in full cooperation with the United States Board of Health and Marine Hospital Service."

AFTERNOON SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The conference at the afternoon session reconsidered the resolution requesting Dr. Gardiner of California to secure certain assurances from the Governor of California and the Mayor of San Francisco relative to the suppression of plague, and laid it on the table. The following resolution was adopted:

"The presence of plague in California is established beyond doubt.

"(1.) By the investigations of Kellogg of the San Francisco Board of Health; Rytogel, for the California State Board of Health, and Kinyon for the United States Marine Hospital.

"(2.) Later investigations of Pillsbury for the State Board of Health and by Thomas F. J. White, M. White, Flint, Currie, Carmichael, Blue and Glennan for the United States Marine Hospital Service.

"(3.) By the findings of Flexner and Barker and Nover, composing a special committee acting under Federal authority.

"(4.) By the findings of independent and disinterested investigators supplied with materials from autopsies made at San Francisco and working in San Francisco, Chicago, Boston, New York, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Ann Arbor.

"(5.) By the occurrence of a case of human plague in Ann Arbor, due to an accident in the manufacture of Haffkine's prophylactic fluid with a culture of plague baccillus obtained in California.

"(6.) By the autopsy records of ninety cases of plague now in the possession of the United States Hospital Service, and of the San Francisco Board of Health and published, in part, in the Occidental Medical Times of San Francisco."

The next resolution adopted was as follows:

"The presence of plague in any community where proper restrictions are not taken to prevent its spread is an injury to the best interests of that community. Such injury is in any case avoidable by the proper co-operation of all interests involved, commercial, professional and governmental. The conference regards the habitual publication of the actual facts relative to infectious disease and preventive procedures as the surest route to popular confidence, and as one of the means best adapted to minimize the injury liable to result from the presence of such diseases."

The following resolutions were also adopted, but after much discussion:

"The present danger to California and to the United States lies primarily in the persistence, during nearly three years, of a definite nidus of plague infection in the part of San Francisco known as Chinatown; but the gravity of this circumstance is greatly increased by the gross neglect of official duty by the State Board of Health of California and the obstructive influence of the recent Governor of California; by the failure of the city government of San Francisco to support its City Board of Health, and by the obstacles opposed to the operations of the United States Public Health Service.

"The conference will consider the safety of the country sufficiently assured as soon as satisfied that a competent City Board of Health of San Francisco and a competent State Board of Health, in cooperation with the United States Public Health Service will proceed under definite, harmonious and effective laws and ordinances; that they are provided with ample funds; and that they are jointly and severally in the free exercise of their lawful powers."

The following was also adopted:

"The conference expresses its conviction that the United States Public Health Service has deserved well of the State of California, and of the country, and that it would go further toward the restoration of popular confidence if the United States public health officials were admitted to the same relations with the State Board of Health as have been steadily maintained with the Board of Health of San Francisco.

"The praise of this conference and the gratitude of the city of San Francisco are due to Drs. John M. Williamson, Vincent B. Buckley, W. B. Lewitt, Rudolph W. Baum, Louis Bassett and McCurtley of the City Board of Health of San Francisco. Those men have the unreserved confidence of the executive health officers of the country."

There was a disposition on the part of some members of the conference to adopt radical measures.

A resolution was offered proposing that the Secretary of War be advised that there is danger in bringing troops through the city of San Francisco. Surgeon-General Wyman advised against the adoption of this resolution. Another proposed placing an embargo on railroads leading out of California unless certain steps were taken by the health authorities toward the suppression of the plague. Neither of these resolutions was adopted.

It was decided to send copies of the resolutions adopted to the State and City Boards of Health, with a request that they make a statement as to their proposed plans.

Dr. Gardner said an impression prevailed that the situation in San Francisco was in charge of the Marine Hospital service. Surgeon-General Wyman explained that the local health officials were in charge, but in answer to Dr. Gardner, said the Marine Hospital Service would assume charge if directly requested by the Governor of California and the city authorities.

The afternoon session brought the conference to a close, and adjournment sine die was taken.

"THE THING TO DO."

GOV. PARDEE INTERVIEWED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "So far as the effect upon California is concerned, it makes no difference whether there is bubonic plague in San Francisco or not, so long as that body now in session in Washington believes that plague does exist there and persists in that belief. The effect will be the same, whatever the truth may be, and there is only one course for us to pursue, namely, to proceed to get a clean bill of health, and that as soon as possible."

Thus spoke Gov. Pardee tonight, in an interview on the report from Washington of the action of the conference of the health authorities from a number of States, called to discuss the existence or non-existence of bubonic plague in San Francisco. He said more, but the foregoing quotation was a condensation, a sort of climax of his other statements. It was the very meat in the cocoanut, and clearly indicates his policy. It also indicates the difference between him and his predecessor. Two years ago, Gage sent to the Legislature a special message which would have done credit to the Chief Executive of a Southern State just prior to the Civil War. He demanded and received $100,000 cash from the lawmakers, and the use to which he put it is no secret among politicians. On the other hand, Gov. Pardee faces the situation calmly, and, realizing the responsibility of his position, stands ready to act. All that he now awaits is official confirmation of the report from Washington, and an intimation of what the government health authorities require.

Gov. Pardee has not heard anything official from Dr. Mathew Gardner, the representative of the State at the Washington conference, but he has taken the press reports of what was done there today as true, and when approached on the subject, he talked openly. At no time did he intimate what his personal opinion is as to whether plague really exists or not. That was not necessary, inasmuch as he realizes that the best interests of the State demand that the State authorities act in conjunction and in harmony with the health authorities of the national government. What will be his policy as to the means to be employed and as to what will be done when the time comes to act, of course he could not say, but the main point is that he stands ready to act, and to act promptly. He began his statement with very apt illustration.

"Suppose you live in a large house," said he, "and the health authorities should come to you and tell you there was smallpox there, what would you do? No, you would not demand of them that they prove it. Suppose they said to you that in order to eradicate the smallpox you must clean up and fumigate the place? What would you say? You would tell them to fumigate, to take such measures as to them

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WASHINGTON.

CANAL VIA SAN BLAS.

Substitute for the Other Routes.

The President Considering Expediency of Adopting This Course if it Be Practicable.

D. H. Bidwell of New York Says it Would Be Cheaper Than Panama or Nicaragua.

Senator Bard and the Collectorship—Army Post Propositions. Statehood Combination.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Roosevelt is now considering the San Blas route, known as the Darien-Mandingo Canal, as a substitute for the Panama and Nicaragua routes. He is discussing the expediency of the route with Senators, Representatives and engineers.

If the President determines that the San Blas route is practicable, he will ask Congress to authorize investigation of the country through which it passes, and will ascertain what treaties can be arranged for its acquisition. This is understood to be the full limit to which the President contemplates going at present. The attention of the Senate was called to the San Blas route by Senator Scott in a speech delivered early during the late session of Congress.

Senator Scott has had a long conference with the President regarding the San Blas route. Mr. Scott is a firm believer in the superiority of the San Blas route. He said tonight: "Either the sea level or the one-lock canal can be constructed. A five-mile tunnel is a matter of no consequence in these days of skilled engineering. The difficulties of ventilation can be easily overcome. I am satisfied that the future will vindicate my judgment in advocating the substitution of the San Blas route for either the Panama or Nicaragua route."

D. H. Bidwell, representing New York financiers and capitalists, first called the President's attention to the advantages of the San Blas route. He has had several personal conferences with the President. He will go to the White House again tomorrow, and go into particulars regarding the route.

The President has devoted much of his spare time during the present month to studying the San Blas route. He has called Admiral Walker and other experts into consultation. He is discussing its feasibility with all callers who may be able to give him information.

When seen tonight, Mr. Bidwell refused to say whether those he represented have any arrangement whereby a concession can be obtained for the San Blas route. He denied that he is in any way connected with the American Isthmus Ship Canal Company, organized in New Jersey some two years ago. He said there is abundance of capital behind him. He believes the San Blas Canal could be constructed for not more than $125,000,000, and be completed in five years. This would be a much cheaper canal than the one constructed either over the Panama or Nicaragua route.

COLLECTORSHIP FIGHT.

THREE CANDIDATES IN IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard is actively engaged in settling the question of a collectorship, for which there are at present three candidates, namely, John C. Cline, the incumbent; State Senator Greenwell of Santa Barbara and Dr. Ralph Skillen of Pasadena. Each of these aspirants has important recommendations for the office, and the settlement of the matter is proving a matter of embarrassment to Senator Bard.

When Mr. Bard first became Senator he declared that he favored continuing in office all Federal officeholders who had made good records, and many of his appointments have been made solely on that ground. In the present case, it is understood his inclination are to appoint Mr. Cline, who is said to have made a pretty good record in office, although the Senator has not fully decided, and may not decide for some time. However, Senator Bard declines at the present time to discuss the matter for publication, but he intimates that the delay in making the appointment will not be very long.

ARMY POST PROPOSITION.

AMENDMENT INTRODUCED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard today introduced in the Senate an amendment to the Army Appropriation Bill, appropriating $100,000 for the establishment of an army post in the vicinity of Los Angeles. There are two propositions in connection with the proposed site covered by Senator Bard's amendment. One is to have the land near Los Angeles used for an army post, and the other, originating with the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, is to have the post located at San Pedro. Either proposition is understood to be favorable to the War Department when the time comes for having an army post near Los Angeles.

PERKINS'S AMENDMENTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Amendments were offered

today to the Army Appropriation Bill by Senator Perkins, providing for the purchase of 2680 acres adjoining the government reservation at Monterey for the enlargement of army camps, at a cost of $11,000, and for the purchase of Nacimiento ranch for $36,000 as an army instruction camp.

STATEHOOD AND RECIPROCITY.

PECULIAR COMBINATION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Some advocates of the Statehood Bill in the Senate, who also include opponents of the Cuban reciprocity treaty, announced this afternoon that the reciprocity treaty cannot be ratified until a vote is taken on the Statehood Bill. It was stated that the opposition would go further, and would prevent discussion of the Cuban reciprocity treaty while the Statehood Bill was pending.

These statements were elicited from one of the Democratic leaders of the Senate in response to the question whether the opponents of reciprocity were prepared to conduct a filibuster against the treaty. Friends of the Statehood Bill claim that a filibuster against the latter measure is practically being conducted now. The resolve to bring the dilatory course in regard to the Statehood Bill to an end by holding up the reciprocity treaty therefore is a double-barreled arrangement to bring down two birds.

BINGER HERMANN RESIGNS.

IS CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As predicted in the dispatches to The Times, some weeks ago, Commissioner of the General Land Office Binger Hermann today forwarded to the President his resignation, to take effect February 1, and it was officially announced that William A. Richards, now deputy commissioner, will be appointed to succeed Commissioner Hermann.

Hermann, it is understood, will return to Oregon and engage in politics, he already being a candidate for United States Senator from that State. While Hermann retires under pressure from Secretary of Interior Hitchcok, he has handed in his resignation without allowing a stain to be placed upon his record.

ALASKAN DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

J. J. BOYCE FEELS CONFIDENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The California delegation feels quite confident that ex-State Senator J. J. Boyce of San Francisco, formerly of Santa Barbara, will be appointed United States District Attorney for Sitka, District of Alaska. The President's desire to appoint a man who knew the conditions in Alaska was satisfied by Californians, who pointed out that Boyce had practiced law two years in Alaska.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—SENATE. In the Senate today Mr. Cullom reported the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill, and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow.

A bill was passed to provide for holding terms of court at Helena, Ark.

Mr. Bailey of Texas objected to the consideration of all bills by unanimous consent. When a bill reported by Mr. Culberson, changing the times for holding court in Virginia, was read, Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts objected, saying that as objections seemed to be confined to the bills from the Republican side, he would object, which brought from Mr. Bailey the statement that the Senators from New York had interfered in a matter pertaining to the State of Texas, which was purely a local one.

Mr. Depew denied that the making of Port Arthur a port of entry was a local one.

The Department of Commerce and Labor Bill, as amended by the House, was referred to the Committee on Commerce. Mr. Nelson wanted the bill sent to conference at once, but Messrs. Spooner, Aldrich, Hale and others objected, as it would prevent an opportunity to amend the House amendments.

At 1:45 o'clock p.m. the Senate, on motion of Mr. Cullom of Illinois, went into executive session to consider the Cuban treaty. The doors were reopened at 2 o'clock, and Mr. Foraker resumed his remarks in favor of the Omnibus Statehood Bill. At 4 o'clock Mr. Foraker concluded. The Senate again went into executive session, adjourning at 5 o'clock p.m.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The Senate devoted two brief executive sessions today to the Cuban reciprocity treaty. At the first session the treaty was read at length, and at the second session Senator Cullom, who, as chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, has charge of the treaty, made a statement of its purport and effect. Senator Bacon, also a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, gave notice that he would offer some amendments to the treaty, and asked the privilege of making them public, following the example of the Senate in making the treaty itself public. The request was denied, after some discussion, on the ground that it would be impolitic and unwise.

Senator Cullom's statement was exhaustive. He produced a mass of figures to show the extent of the commerce between the United States and Cuba, and gave reasons for a belief he expressed that the ratification of the treaty would cause a rapid increase in trade between the two countries.

The official text of the treaty, as amended by the Committee on Foreign Relations, was made public today. It shows an important variation from the text of the amendment as unofficially printed. According to the official print, the prohibition of lower rates of duty on sugar imported into the United States from other countries is confined to action by "treaty or convention."

Following is the full official text of the amendment, which is attached to the eighth article of the treaty, declaring for preferential rates between the two countries:

"Provided, that while this convention is in force, no sugar imported from the republic of Cuba, and being the product of the industry of the republic of Cuba, shall be admitted in the United States at a reduction of duty greater than 20 per cent. of the rates of duty thereon, as provided by the tariff act of the United States, approved July 24, 1897, and no sugar, the product of any other foreign country, shall be admitted by treaty or convention into the United States while this convention is in force at a lower rate of duty than that provided by the tariff act of the United States, approved July 24, 1897."

HOUSE.—This was committee-suspension day in the House, and immediately after the reading of the journal, the Speaker recognised several members to move the passage of bills under suspension of the rules.

A bill to revoke the sentence of court-martial against First Lieut. Franklin E. Davidson, Ninth Cavalry, who was dismissed from the army in 1875, and to authorize his appointment and retirement as a first lieutenant, aroused some antagonism.

Mr. Lawrence of Massachusetts, in support of the bill for the relief of Lieut. Davidson, said the bill would do a tardy act of justice to a deserving officer. The bill was passed.

A Senate bill was passed to appropriate $1,000,000 for the payment of the Hawaiian fire claims and to authorize the Territorial government to issue $500,000 in bonds for the same purpose.

The Senate amendments to the Militia Bill were agreed to, which passed the bill.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation Bill.

Mr. Hitt, in charge of the measure, explained that it carried $2,002,925, or $73,900 more than the current law, and $216,300 less than the estimates.

Mr. McClellan of New York submitted some interesting figures to demonstrate that our consular service was underpaid and overmanned. He made comparisons with other first-class countries, which showed that our consular and diplomatic officers received the lowest salaries, but that the total cost of the service was increased by the excessive number of such officers, in some cases double and treble the number maintained by other countries.

BILL IS PASSED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Mr. McClellan's remarks led to much debate. Mr. Slayden of Texas criticized very severely the character of our consular officers abroad, especially some of those in Mexico. Some of the Mexican consulates, he said, were made regular asylums for "invalids and drunkards."

Mr. Adams of Pennsylvania, a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, said he was glad the question of reforming our consular service was attracting attention.

On a point of order made by Mr. McClellan, the provision for a secretary of legation to Switzerland was stricken out.

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio denounced some of the statements made earlier in the day as slanders on our consular service. He declared that they were not justified, and that he was prepared to prove, by the opinions of leading publicists abroad, that the United States had the best consular service in the world.

The bill then was passed and the House took up the District of Columbia Appropriation Bill. It carries $7,618,449, being $344,474 less than the appropriation for the current year and $3,253,923 less than the estimates. Half of the bill was read, and at 5:05 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned.

WINE AND WOMEN.

CAUSE BARRETT'S SUICIDE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—A. W. Barrett, former secretary of the United States Legation at Caracas, Venezuela, and brother of former Congressman W. E. Barrett of Massachusetts, committed suicide tonight at the Ebbitt House, shooting himself through the heart. In a letter which he left the suicide laid his misfortunes primarily to liquor, and to his infatuation for a married woman older than himself on whom, he said, he spent all his money. His wife, it appears, had left him last August, and since then, he said, he had gone to the dogs rapidly.

THE PRESIDENT'S TYPE OF CHRISTIAN MAN.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE ADDRESSES THE Y.M.C.A. IN WASHINGTON.

Morality not Only Compatible With but Demanded by Essential Manliness. Soldiers of the Great War Manifested Fervent Devotion to Country and to Right, and Had the Power to Fight.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The President was the guest of honor tonight at the banquet commemorative of the fiftieth anniversary of the Washington Young Men's Christian Association and the International Committee of North America. Over three hundred guests were invited. The President was greeted with loud applause as he rose to address those at the banquet. He said:

"I have been acquainted especially with three types of your work, the work in the army and navy, among railroad men and among college students. Now these three classes are not going to be effectively reached as classes by any effort which fails to take account of the fact that they demand manliness as well as virtue, and you can make them straight on condition that you keep in mind that it is necessary for them to be strong.

"In the long run, the man who is decent is apt to be the man who is the best soldier. The work among the railroad men always particularly appealed to me because of the willingness of those men to take risks, to accept responsibilities. Those who follow that pursuit have both the power to obey and the power to act on individual initiative, the power to take responsibility. You get among a body of men like that and you can make them accept morality if you make them understand that it is not only compatible with, but is demanded by, essential manliness.

"The work of the Y.M.C.A. has grown so among the college students because it has tried not to dwarf any of the impulses of the young, vigorous man, but to guide him aright. It has sought not to make his development one-sided, not to prevent his being a man, but to see that he is in the fullest sense a man and a good man. Among all these that are here tonight, I know that the rest among you will join with me in saying that we greet with particular pleasure the men who served in the great war. Those men won the day of trial because they and their fellows had in them in the first place, the power of devotion to an ideal, and, in the next place, the strength to realize that power in effective fashion.

"I do not care how good soldiers or sailors they had been if their ambitions had been personal. If Grant and Sherman and Thomas and Farragut had not all felt that they were fighting for one end, that they were holding up the arms of the mighty Lincoln, as he toiled and wrought and suffered for the people, then no prowess would have prevailed. This nation would have gone down into bloody anarchy; would have crumbled into dust, as so many republics have crumbled before. But they had to have more than that, they had to have fervent devotion to country, to the right, and power to fight. I do not care how patriotic the man was, if he could neither march nor shoot, he was not any good.

"In addition to the lofty ideal, the power of devotion, the man had to have the fiber of heart, the fiber of body to make his devotion take effective shape for the nation's welfare. And so it is now in civil life. We will make this twentieth century better and not worse than any century that has gone before it, because we will, like this society, approach the problems that face us with a firm resolution that we will strive to make the young men decent, God-fearing, law-abiding, honor-loving, justice-doing, and will also make them fearless and strong, able to hold their own in the hurly-burly of the world's work; able to strive mightily that the forces of right may be in the end triumphant."

Admiral Dewey, Secretary Root, Col. J. J. McCook of New York, John R. Mott of New York and others also spoke.

HAWAIIAN INTERESTS.

BILLS BY SENATOR MITCHELL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Senator Mitchell today introduced bills intended to carry into effect some of the recommendations of the Senate committee which recently visited the Hawaiian Islands. The bills amend the organic act so as to make persons 25 years of age and one year's residence in the islands eligible to membership in the Territorial Senate, and persons 21 years of age eligible as Representatives, permit the Governor and the Secretary of the islands to be appointed from any portion of the United States, and not from the island alone; to allow appeals and writs of error from the Territorial courts to the Supreme Court of the United States on the same basis as they are allowed from other Territorial courts, and to fix the salary of the Governor at $8500.

Other Hawaiian bills introduced by Senator Mitchell are as follows: Appropriating $1,000,000 for public buildings at Honolulu, and $750,000 for public buildings at Hilo; authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to investigate the public land question; appropriating $100,000 for protection of the harbor at Hilo; $750,000 for Honolulu Harbor, and $75,000 for lighthouses along the Hawaiian coast.

SOUTH DAKOTA DIVORCES.

SUPREME COURT DECISION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The United States Supreme Court today again passed on the validity of divorces granted in South Dakota to non-residents. The case was that of Annie Andrews vs. Kate H. Andrews, and the question at issue is that as to which is entitled to administer upon the estate of Charles S. Andrews, whom both women claimed as husband. The record shows that Mrs. Kate Andrews was the first wife, and that her husband secured a divorce in South Dakota after remaining there six months, the time required by the statue of that State.

The Massachusetts courts held that the divorce was fraudulently secured, and refused to recognize it, but recognized the first wife as the legal widow of the deceased. That was the holding of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, and today's opinion, which was delivered by Justice White, affirmed that holding. He said that Andrews's residence in the State of South Dakota did not constitute legal domicile. The case arose out of the fact that Andrews's father, Charles H. Andrews, bequeathed certain property to "the wife of my son, Charles S. Andrews." Justice Brewer, Justice Shiras and Justice Peckham dissented.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Substitution of Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Secretary Shaw has written to the banks that had substituted State and municipal bonds for government bonds as security for public deposits, that he would like to have a resubstitution of government bonds. This is in accordance with the policy announced at the time. They were accepted only on condition that the banks should use the bonds that were released by the substitution as a basis for circulation. It is now expected that the banks will retire this additional circulation, and thus release the bonds to be used again as security for deposits.

San Juan Victims.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The following telegram was received at the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral Higginson, dated San Juan, January 18:

"Seven dead altogether—Robert Rule, F. H. Loesser, S. F. Malinowski, K. J. Platt, Andrew Hendricksen, Albert Tacke, Walter W. A. Schert. Two living, Patterson and Bossett. Patterson's recovery probable; Dossett's recovery doubtful. The dead were buried with military honors at San Juan. Massachusetts now at San Juan. Sick in hospital. Cabled Dunlap for information. Tacke died 3 p.m. Sunday. Schert died Sunday, 7 a.m."

Discrimination by Countries.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Senator Lodge today introduced a resolution directing the Committee on Finance to inquire whether certain countries are discriminating against the United States, and, if so, what law should be passed to give to countries preferential duties which do not discriminate against this country. The resolution refers to the discriminations of France, Germany and Russia against the United States. It went to the table, in order to give Senator Aldrich an opportunity to make a statement concerning the subject.

Presidential Nominees.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Navy: Commander Harry Webster, to be captain; also several promotions in the navy.

Postmasters: California, Thomas A. Nelson, Stockton.

PRINCE CUPID'S PLANS.

He Hopes to Dazzle Washington and Wants Legislature to Help the Good Cause With Cash.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to all reports, Prince Cupid, delegate-elect to Congress from Hawaii, will astonish Washington when he arrives to take his seat. He will not go as a simple delegate, but in almost regal state. The Hawaiian Legislature, when it meets in February, will be asked to appropriate $10,000 to add to his own means to aid in keeping up a princely establishment in Washington. His purpose is to have regal court, which will perpetuate some of the old-time glories of the Hawaiian monarchy, and thus call attention to one of the last in the royal line.

The Prince will have a private secretary, as well as gentleman and ladies in waiting, and his plans include receptions and feasts in Hawaiian style which will certainly be as great a novelty at the capital as were Minister Wu's receptions when he first came with his wife from China.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Southerly winds today brought more moderate temperature and threatening skies, though no snow fell. The temperature ranged between 19 deg., early in the morning, and 28 deg. this evening. Moderate temperature generally prevailed throughout the Middle West. Temperatures at 7 a. m: New York, 10; Boston, 0; Philadelphia, 12; Minneapolis, 12; Washington, 16; Chicago, 20; Cincinnati, 18; St. Louis, 24.

FOUGHT ELEVATOR FIRE.

Firemen fighting fire at the Eckhart Elevator on Carroll avenue today ran out of fuel and raided a train of coal cars on the Northwestern tracks near by. They confiscated what coal they needed, and subdued the flames, with a loss of $100,000. The elevator and adjoining flour mill are valued at $1,000,000.

STARTED FOR CALIFORNIA.

Mrs. Charles H. Barry started for California yesterday, and Dr. and Mrs. Albert H. Hoy, and their daughter will go tomorrow. They expect to remain till May. Mrs. Watson Blair is a member of the Chicago colony in California.

ROCKFORD IMPROVEMENTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROCKFORD (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual appropriation budget passed by the City Council is the largest for years. It provides for extensive improvements, including two new schools, one on each side of the river; for five miles of macadam streets, and $25,000 for extending water mains. The police and fire departments are also increased.

BIG COAL DEAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Springfield Coal Mining Company of New York, with a capital of $2,500,000, was incorporated here today. The corporation has bought six of the largest mines in the Sangamon county district, and is believed to be the nucleus of a combination to control all the coal mining in Illinois. D. D. Shumway of Taylorville is the Illinois representative.

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAKE FOREST (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Recitations at Lake Forest College have been suspended for a week, by order of the Town Board of Health, on account of the epidemic of scarlet fever, and the exposure of the students living in dormitories. A partial quarantine will be put in effect.

REPORTS ON SMALLPOX.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reports on smallpox at Knoxville and at Hammond, Piatt county, were received by the State Board of Health today and inspectors were sent to both places.

CLOSED THE SCHOOL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALTO PASS (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The public schools here have been closed on account of smallpox.

MILLINERS SOLD BIRDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAMILTON (O.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two leading milliners were arrested here today for selling hats with birds for trimming.

PEAT VS. COAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FON DU LAC (Wis.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frank X. Boucher has leased forty acres of peatland, seven miles from this city, and proposes to enter the market and break the coal famine. He will erect machinery at the marsh for compressing the peat into small cakes, weighing about a pound each, and will sell them for $5 a ton or less.

ATTACK ON A WILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An estate aggregating in value $500,000 is involved in the suit brought today by Jessie D. Gillett of Lincoln to break the will of his father, the late John Park Gillett. The defendants named include Emma Oglesby, widow of Gov. Oglesby; Hiram G. Keays and Ines M. Jamison, Gillett's widow, the administratrix, who was married in Brooklyn Christmas week.

TARKINGTON LEADS FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Booth Tarkington, the author-legislator, is taking a prominent position in the Legislature. He is now fighting a bill fathered by Gov. Durbin, designed to oust the trustees of Jeffersonville Reformatory in order to allow the Governor to appoint another board.

FRANCHISE FORFEITED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LANSING (Mich.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Common Council this evening declared the street railway franchise, held by the Hawks Angus Company, forfeited; directed the Chief of Police to stop the operation of the cars, and the Superintendent of Public Works to tear up the company's tracks. It is claimed that the company has failed to give decent service; that schedule time has not been made by its cars, and that the cars are not up to the requirements of teh ordinance under which the company is operating.

FATAL FIRE.

Two Persons are Burned to Death and Several Badly Injured in a Cleveland Apartment House.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 19.—Fire early today destroyed two apartment-houses near the corner of Euclid avenue and Andrews streets, East Cleveland, resulting in the death of two persons and the injury of several others. The dead:

MRS. GUY NORTON, burned to death.

MRS. JESSIE DICKEY, 45 years old, burned to death.

The injured:

MRS. CLARA JACKSON, servant girl, badly burned.

GUY NORTON, badly burned; serious.

REV. W. N. SHOUP, pastor of the Windemere Methodist Church; slightly burned.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The fifty tenants of the two buildings were asleep when the flames broke out. A panic ensued when they were finally aroused, and many were rescued with the greatest difficulty, nearly all escaping in their night clothes. The total loss is about $80,000, partially covered by insurance.

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OBITUARY.

Timothy Newell.

STOCKTON, Jan. 19.—Timothy Newell, a pioneer business man of this city, died this morning, after an illness of but a few hours, apoplexy being the cause. The deceased was 73 years of age, and had large business interests here. About six months ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis, but it was believed he had entirely recovered.

J. W. McCausland.

DENVER, Jan. 19.—J. W. McCausland, breeder of racing horses, and a driver with an international reputation, is dead at St. Joseph's Hospital in this city from peritonitis. He was 42 years of age. McCausland was a native of Greensboro, Pa., but has lived in Colorado and Wyoming for twenty-five years.

JOLO'S SULTAN DEAD.

MANILA, Jan. 19.—The Sultan of Jolo died recently of cholera.

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PLAGUE IN SONORA.

AFFECTING SMALL TOWNS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BISBEE (Ariz.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. S. Madding, just from the interior of Sonora, reports plague breaking out in the small towns. The conditions are alarming.

GIRL VICTIM.

TELLS PITIFUL STORY.

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The girl tells a pitiful story of ill-treatment at the hands of a railroad conductor, and the police are endeavoring to locate him, with a view to substantiating the girl's story, which they have little reason to doubt.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Oil Sand Struck in San Jose.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 19.—A German working with a subsoil plow on Julian street near the Coyote bridge, struck oil sand with a bituminous base. A chemist has pronounced the sand superior to surface indications in the southern part of the county. An agent of the Treadwells has three oil rigs prospecting near Coyote.

Fairfax School Burned.

SAN RAPHAEL, Jan. 19.—The Fairfax school, several miles from this place, was destroyed by fire this morning; loss $3000. It is believed that the fire was started by an incendiary.

Car Runs Down Wagon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—A rapidly moving electric car struck a milk delivery wagon driven by Peter Escobat this morning, and before the car could be brought to a standstill Escobat was thrown from his seat and received injuries from which he died an hour later in the Receiving Hospital.

Hunting Two Murderers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Bonita Stefani, a young rancher from Haywards, was held up and robbed on the Lombard-street wharf last night, and his senseless body afterward thrown into the bay by the thieves, who thus sought to conceal their crime by murdering their victim. The police believe they know the two men, and are searching diligently for them among the "rat nests" and dens of Barbary Coast.

Dynamite Destroyed Him.

HOLLISTER, Jan. 19.—By the premature explosion of twenty pounds of dynamite, which he was using to destroy squirrels, John Scholefield, manager of the Bonnie Brae fruit farm, was blown to pieces.

Working Off Bad Bills.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—According to reports received by the government secret-service agents, another attempt is being made by unscrupulous brokers to flood the city with bills of the defunct State Bank of New Brunswick, N. J. This was done a little over a year ago, and at the time seven men were arrested, but escaped punishment on a technicality.

Dead Under the Dock.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 19.—L. G. Bemis, believed to be a well-known marine engineer, residing at No. 233 California street, San Francisco, was found dead under the dock on the water front this afternoon. A bullet hole in the neck leads the police authorities to believe that Bemis may have been murdered. His valuables had not been molested.

Wreckage of Vessel.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 19.—The steamer Queen City, from the west coast of Vancouver Island, brings news that a large quantity of new lumber and planking has drifted ashore at several points. Esteven Point, near Hesquoit, and the islands outside Kyoquot, as well as the mouth of Quatsino Sound, are littered with lumber, which has evidently not been long in the water, and at Hesquoit a life buoy, with the name "Irving" on it, the port of sailing being obliterated, has been found by Italians, and turned over to Father Brabant, in charge of the mission there.

Ward Boss in Jail.

STOCKTON, Jan. 19.—Michael Carasker is in jail pending the result of injuries he inflicted upon Charles Bailey at the County Hospital last Friday. Both are patients, Carasher being a ward boss. During a dispute Carasher knocked Bailey down, and then beat him over the head with a piece of gas pipe. Bailey's condition grew serious, and Carasher, who made his escape from the hospital, was captured and jailed. Bailey is unconscious, and may die.

Denies the Crime.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—The police today took into custody Mrs. Mary Bockwell, who is alleged to be the woman who performed the operation on Miss Lottie Peterson, from which the latter died. The woman denies everything that could connect her with the case. Miss Peterson came to San Francisco from Santa Rosa with her sister a little more than a week ago.

TOO POOR TO PAY GOLD.

China's Reply to Powers Concerning Indemnity Points Out Impoverished Condition of the Country.

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PEKING, Jan. 19.—[By Asiatic Cable.] China's reply to the note signed by all the Ministers of the powers here, with the exception of Minister Conger, announcing that the failure of the Chinese government to fulfill its obligations, in refusing to pay the war indemnity on a gold basis, would entail grave consequences, was received today. It declares that China would accede to the demand, if she were able to do so, but that it is impossible to make the payments demanded. The Chinese note quotes the messages of the viceroys detailing the impoverished state of the country. It asks the Ministers to suggest plans for relief, and renews the request that the customs tariff be placed on a gold basis, suggesting that the average rate of exchange each month be made the payment rate for the following month.

The Ministers are awaiting instructions from their governments.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

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Accompanying the return of the indictments was an explanatory report setting forth the grounds upon which the jurors based their action. The shortage, they declare, they found due "primarily and principally to the recent great strike in the anthracite coal fields."

Bituminous coal could not be mined and stored in sufficient quantities to supply the deficiency caused by the restricted output from the anthracite mines. "First, because the capacity of the mines could not be increased so materially, on short notice, and secondly, because the storage of bituminous coal during the summer months is inexpedient, owing to danger of deterioration through slacking, and of destruction by fire through spontaneous combustion."

In Chicago, it is said, the amount of anthracite coal received in 1902, was 1,507,637 tons less than in 1901, to offset which, there was an increase of only 798,721 tons of bituminous coal. The difficulty experienced by the railroads in handling the large quantity required for daily supplies, owing to the failure to secure bituminous coal during the summer months, also, they found, constituted one of the causes of the famine. The railroads, they believed to be doing all in their power to move the coal promptly to market, and the accumulation of coal-laden cars in railroad yards does not exist to an unusual extent at this time of year.

"The jury finds no convincing evidence," the report reads, "of a deliberate detention of cars for the purpose of intensifying the difficulties of the situation."

While not finding the present condition due to, or appreciably influenced by any conspiracy in restraint of trade, and while convinced that the law of supply and demand sufficiently accounts for the high prices prevailing, the jury found that there existed in the city of Chicago and in Illinois, and in neighboring States, "certain combinations, which it deems to be conspiracies or combinations in restraint of trade within the meaning of the statutes," as follows:

The Northern Illinois Soft Coal Association, the Retail Coal Dealers' Association of Illinois and Wisconsin, and a certain combination of Indiana coal operators, with the Crescent Coal and Mining Company. While not differing in character and scope from similar combinations in other lines of business, the jurors deemed it their duty to present the foregoing indictments.

Other associations of operators and coal dealers were found to exist, and to have more or less effect in the fixing of prices and restraining competition, but against whom the evidence did not warrant action. They are the Chicago Coal Exchange and the Chicago Track Dealers' Association.

GETTING COAL OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Erie and New York, Ontario and Western railroads had men working all day Sunday at their terminal points handling anthracite, of which large shipments have come in during the last two days.

Good progress was made in unloading cars, which came here with the coal frozen in a mass, and large deliveries are looked for in this city today. All the depots where coal is sold by the pail are running, with a good supply, but demand is not very great.

ROSE A GOOD BUYER.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Mayor Rose returned from Toronto last night, and said he had secured 10,000 tons of Welsh anthracite coal for Milwaukee, says a dispatch to the Tribune from that city. The first cargo, he says, left Cardiff on Saturday, and will be at St. Johns in a week. The Mayor claims he has made arrangements with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific road, to bring the coal to Milwaukee. He says he will have the coal here for delivery February 10, and it will sell at $9 a ton.

STRIKE BROKEN.

KESWICK SMELTER MEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KESWICK, Jan. 19.—The strike of the smelter men, now of two months' duration, appears likely to be broken. A number of men, protected by citizens, and deputy sheriffs armed with rifles, went to work in the smelter today, and the company managers are assured that if sufficient protection is offered, a large number of men will come here to work in the places of strikers. A large body of strikers witnessed this morning's attempt to break the strike, but there was no demonstration of any kind.

The company is firm in its declaration that it will not recognize the union, and cares not whether its employés are members of the union or not, only requiring efficiency on the part of its workmen.

Tanners Working Again.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—The joint executive board of the Tanners' unions of California, gives out the information that the compromise proposition which has been before it for a week has been accepted, and that the strike which was inaugurated by the tanners in this State last August has been declared off. The tanners have accepted the nine-and-one-half-hour day offered, and some of the men who have been idle for half a year went back to work this morning.

Coal Drivers' Strike.

CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 19.—With a temperature near the zero mark, and hundreds of families throughout the city clamoring for fuel, a strike was declared today by the drivers of coal-delivery wagons. Practically every yard in the city is affected. The drivers demand advances averaging about $1 per week for each man. At a meeting this afternoon, the dealers refused to grant the demands. This decision means much suffering among the people in need of coal.

Soft Coal Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Jan. 19.—The United Mine Workers' annual convention opened in Tomlinson Hall today. When President Mitchell arrived there were over 600 delegates present. He received a great ovation. After the address of welcome to which Mitchell responded briefly, the preliminary work of the convention was taken up.

SOUTHWESTERN BUREAU.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] C. M. Pratt, chairman of the Southwestern Passenger Bureau, has issued a call for a meeting of passenger officials of Southwestern roads at San Antonio, Tex., beginning January 20, for the purpose of considering the question of reorganizing the bureau which passed out of existence the last of this month. It is confidently expected that most of the roads which have been withdrawn from the bureau will join again, and a rate war, which is confidently predicted by railroad men in case the bureau is not reorganized, will be averted.

The bureau was formed about the middle of June, 1898, after a disastrous rate war. The traffic within its jurisdiction was all interstate passenger business, having its origin or destination in Texas, and Indian or Oklahoma Territory.

Little over a year ago, a western court granted an injunction against the bureau, which rather nullified its power. Since then, roads have been withdrawing from it, and a few weeks ago, several of the large systems withdrew on the ground that the expenses of maintaining the bureau was greater than the benefits, with its limited membership.

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POLITICIANS IN A STEW.

Watchdogs of Treasury are After Them.

Reform Campaign Begins in Both Senate and House.

Charter Amendments—Money for Highland Hospital—Hale in School Law.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reform was the word and the policy which sounded through the halls of the Capitol today, and from the executive chamber promptly came the echo of unqualified approval of the movement. In the Senate it was reform in the matter, so long an open scandal, of wasting the State's money by the employment of a small army of attachés. In the Assembly it was reform in a matter hardly less scandalous during former sessions, viz.: that of paying out enormous sums on junketing trips, sending members chasing all over the State on needless so-called tours of inspection.

In the Senate it was the privilege of a Democrat, Emmons of Kern, to sound the alarm and inaugurate a movement which, although it may accomplish little this session, may be the entering wedge which will open the way for legislation, which will make repetitions of the attaché scandal impossible in future.

Since the session began the minority in the Senate has lost no opportunity to twit the majority on the subject of attachés. It was a thorn in the side of those Republican Senators, who are not professional politicians, and they would gladly have remedied the evil, if none desired to take the initiative. Emmons cast about him for support for a resolution which at least would show up the evil as it really exists, and then just before adjournment this morning he submitted it as reported in Senate proceedings.

It was unfortunate that he attempted to a degree to make politics out of the matter. An effort to commit the resolution failed, and then there was an open fight against it, in which Shortridge took the lead. Emmons knew what strength he had, however, and fought back. His resolution was adopted by a vote of 20 to 16, but the committee it provides for has not yet been named. Upon the report of that committee will depend the tenure of the easy jobs of those attachés who do no work, for the next step will be to empower some committee to dismiss those found to be derelict in their duties.

In the lower house it was Assemblyman Henry Ward Brown of San Mateo who, by the introduction of a reform resolution, caused consternation among those who are in the Legislature for what there is in it, and who have heretofore depended upon junketing trips to line their pockets at the expense of the State. Even among those who care little about the cash, but who come here expecting to be able to take pleasant excursions to State institutions, the measure was anything but welcome, and there were those who were disposed to violently oppose it. The resolution follows:

"Resolved, that a committee of thirteen, consisting of three members from the Committee on Ways and Means, three members from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, two members from the Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, three members from the Committee on State Hospitals and Asylums and three members from the Committee on State Prisons and Reformatories, the members from each committee, one of whom shall be a member of the minority, to be designated by the chairman, be empowered to visit the Whittier State School, the Southern California State Hospital, Los Angeles State Normal School, San Diego State Normal School and the quarantine station at San Diego, for the purpose of inquiring thoroughly into the needs of said institutions in the way of appropriations or otherwise, and that they make their return a written report to the Assembly of their observations and recommendations, and that they be allowed their actual expenses, which shall be evidenced by proper vouchers, and the members of said committee are hereby granted a leave of absence of one week for the purpose of visiting said institutions to commence on the 24th inst."

It will be observed that this resolution refers only to institutions in Southern California, but three similar resolutions will be introduced tomorrow which will include all possible State institutions. The resolution was made a special order of business for tomorrow morning.

Throughout the day it was discussed, and there was some effort to organize opposition to it. Some of the Alameda delegation went to Gov. Pardee and demanded to know whether they were to be stood up in this manner. The Governor quietly asked about the resolution, and was told among other things, that it was an effort to cut down mileage and incidentally contingent expenses. With a vim that left no doubt about his attitude in the matter, the Executive brought his fist down upon the table, and declared that he wished the expenses cut down. When this was whispered among the Assemblymen there was a marked change of front, and many who had previously opposed the measure suddenly went over to the other side.

The question will probably not be acted on in the Assembly tomorrow, but it is likely that it will be considered in caucus, where the matter can be discussed without placing any man on record.

During former sessions it was customary for five or six committees to visit all the State institutions, some of the trips costing as much as $2000, and it sometimes happened that two committees would be at the same place at the same time. On one occasion during the junketing season last session twenty-eight members of the Assembly were in Los Angeles on the same day, and the Assembly was without a quorum. Assemblyman Brown says that if his plan is followed or any reasonable modification of it, it will save the State $15,000 or more.

HIGHLANDS HOSPITAL.

BILL FAVORABLY REPORTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Through the personal efforts of Assemblyman Prescott of Redlands, the Assembly Committee on State Hospitals and Asylums today decided to favorably report the bill appropriating $110,000 for the construction of what will be known as the central ward building at the Southern California State Hospital at Patton. It was also decided to report favorably upon a bill appropriating $8000 for the construction of reservoirs, and other similar improvements at the same institution. These bills will go next to the Ways and Means Committee, of which Prescott is a member, and he has every hope of ultimately securing their passage.

The bill for the new building was passed at the last session, but Gage vetoed it. The new administration has been made familiar with the crowded condition of the hospital, and it is understood that this will be one of the few large appropriations of the kind which will receive its support.

The action of the committee in acting so promptly is unusual, and it decided to hold up all other bills of similar character, until a subcommittee shall have inspected and reported upon the various State institutions, which are seeking such appropriations.

CODE REFORM.

WORK OF SESSION OUTLINED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All that the present session of the Legislature will attempt to do on the important subject of the codes will be to enact, or rather properly reënact the sections of the Code of Civil Procedure.

This was decided upon tonight at a joint meeting of the Senate Committee on Code Revision, and the Assembly Committee on Revision and Reform of the Law, which was attended by Van Fleet, Freeman and Denis, the State Code Commissioners.

It was found that in order to enact all the codes along the lines indicated by the decision of the Supreme Court when it declared the codes as before enacted unconstitutional, it will be necessary for the Legislature to pass 364 bills, as follows: Political Code, 115; Penal Code; 60; Code of Civil Procedure, 103, and Civil Code, 86.

It was the opinion of the two committees that to attempt to pass any such number of bills at this session would not be advisable, and the Code of Civil Procedure being considered the most important, that was selected. The committee at once went to work, and prepared fourteen sections of this code for presentation to the Legislature tomorrow as bills. This work will be continued as rapidly as possible until the whole 103 bills have been introduced.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

THIRTY-FIFTH SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—After the preliminary work of the meeting had been concluded by the Senate this morning, at 11:15 o'clock, the following bills were received, in part, as follows:

Leavitt—To reimburse the Durham fund in the sum of $15,000, for money borrowed from the fund by the directors of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum at Berkeley, expended in the erection of a hospital.

O'Neil—Appropriating $10,000 for the purchase of a library museum and scientific apparatus for the State Normal School at San José.

O'Neil—Appropriating $5000 for the painting and repairing of the buildings of the State Normal School at San José.

Coggins—Providing for the purchase of land for the State Fish Hatchery at Sisson, and making improvements on the same.

Diggs—No. 176, amending section 1258 of the Penal Code relating to appeals.

Luchsinger—Authorizing the appointment of a notary public in San Francisco to transact notarial duties on Goat Island.

Shortridge—Providing for the ascertaining of the existence and terms of and for the validity and legal effects of grants affecting trusts for the founding of universities, colleges, schools and seminaries of learning.

Knowland—Providing for the compulsory education of children.

Bauer—Amending section 1633, Civil Code, relating to the settlement of accounts of administrators and executors.

Williams—Providing for the painting of a portrait of ex-Gov. Gage at a price not to exceed $600.

The Senate gave the committee in charge of the Hubbard vs. Coggins election contest the privilege of sending for persons and papers.

Quite a sensation was created by Senator Emmons, Democrat, when he assailed the present system of attachés and declared that the people of California are being robbed by the Republican majority who are employing 180 attachés to do the work of seventy-five men. He said that thousands of dollars of public money are being squandered that the Senators may each have five or six attachés dancing attendance at their heels.

The bill introduced by Senator Emmons is as follows:

"Whereas, we, the representatives of the people, in the Senate of the State of California, are sent here as trustees of an express trust; and

"Whereas, one of our trusts is the expenditure of the money of the people of the State of California; and,

"Whereas, we, as such trustees, are supposed to represent our constituents and keep expenditures of the trust fund in our custody, within proper limits; and,

"Whereas, it appears that we have today, in the Senate of the State of California, one hundred and eighty attachés to do the work that fifty attachés could properly do, and,

"Whereas, it is currently rumored and reported that a large number of the attachés have had no other physical exertion than signing powers of attorney to draw their pay from the State, therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Senate, that a special committee of three be appointed by the president of the Senate to investigate the standing of all attachés of the Senate, and that said committee have power to send for persons and papers that the true standing of all attachés may be ascertained; and be it further

"Resolved, that the author of this resolution, be not on the committee."

In support of the resolution Emmons said: "While I am in the minority, and do not want to be known as a kicker, I think that some action should be taken toward retrenchment. During the infamous Duckworth Legislature $8000 per week patronage was given out, and we now are exceeding that amount by $1000 per week. We got our places in this honorable body by telling our constituents that we would practice economy, and now that the shackles are off us, we are doing just the opposite. The fact that the attachés have nothing harder to do than draw their salaries, is becoming notorious throughout the State.

Senator Shortridge derided Emmons's objection as being ancient history, and said that he was not elected upon retrenchment and reform principles, and that the Republicans of the State did not expect it."

This announcement, which Shortridge said he believed no one would take seriously, was assailed by Emmons, who said: "The people of California are praying and crying for reform. I am ashamed that such a declaration as you have just heard should have been made in the Senate of California. Mark my words, gentlemen, the time will come when the wasteful methods which are now being practiced will be repudiated."

Additional interest was lent to the tempest when the Emmons resolution was adopted by a vote of 20 to 16.

Just after the adjournment of the Senate at 12 o'clock a meeting of the San Francisco delegation was held. Senator Wolf was chosen chairman and Welch secretary.

It was decided to ask for the appointment of the delegation as a standing committee to which all matters pertaining to San Francisco shall be referred.

Tomorrow at the noon recess a joint caucus with the Assembly members of the San Francisco delegation will be held.

ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS.

When the Assembly convened this morning at 10:15 o'clock, all the members had returned from their visit to the University of California. The Committee on Constitutional Amendments reported favorably on the proposed amendment authorizing civil-service regulations in State and county offices.

The announcement that bills would be received was followed by a deluge of the documents, the most important of which were:

Pyle—Providing for the appointment by the Supreme Court of twelve commissioners to be known as commissioners of the Supreme Court, to appoint a secretary, and to appropriate $148,200 for the purposes.

Walsh—Limiting the hours of daily service of laborers, workmen and mechanics employed upon the public works of the State of California.

Goodrich—To provide for the organization, management and control of mutual fire-insurance corporations.

Goodrich—Amending the Penal Code relating to the adulteration and dilution of articles of food, drinks, drugs or medicines.

Pyle—To amend section 939 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Mattos—To amend the Political Code relating to the duties of boards of supervisors in levying county school tax.

Greer—Amending the Political Code relating to the powers and duties of highway officers and to the election and appointment of road overseers.

Greer—Appropriation, $50,000, for putting the attic of the Capitol in fireproof condition.

Goodrich—To amend the Civil Code providing the manner in which certain transfer of personal property shall be made.

Lewis—Providing for the proper sanitary construction and equipment of bake shops and kitchens.

Johnson—Appropriating $500 for a picture of ex-Gov. Gage, to be placed in the Capitol.

Wright — Assembly constitutional amendment abolishing poll taxes.

The following resolution, introduced by Brown of San Mateo, was made a special order for tomorrow morning: That a special committee of thirteen, consisting of three members from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, two members from the Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, three members from the Committee on State Hospitals and Asylums, and three members from the Committee on State Prisons and Reformatory Institutions, be empowered to visit the Whittier State School, the Southern California State Hospital, Los Angeles State Normal School, the San Diego State Normal School, and the quarantine station at San Diego, for the purpose of inquiring thoroughly into the needs of the said institutions, in the way of appropriations or otherwise, and that they make on their return a written report to the Assembly of their observations and recommendations, and that they be allowed their actual expenses, and a week's leave of absence, to commence on the 24th inst.

A proposal made by Assemblyman Johnson that an adjournment be taken until 9:30 o'clock tomorrow, was met with a storm of disapproval, as being too early, and the time was finally set for half an hour later.

LEVYING SCHOOL TAXES WITHOUT AUTHORITY.

PECULIAR POSITION OF ALAMEDA AND LOS ANGELES COUNTIES.

Defect in Law Discovered by Superintendent Kirk, but Happily by No Taxdodger or Effect Might Have Been Serious—Amendment Proposed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It has been discovered that, owing to a defect in the statute the Supervisors of the counties of Los Angeles and Alameda have been levying taxes for school purposes without authority of law. If at any time since the population of Los Angeles county reached the 100,000 mark, any citizen had desired to protest the payment of school taxes, it would have vitiated that portion of the county levy, and the schools would have been deprived of sufficient funds.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Kirk discovered, a short time ago, that in the drafting of the law, a mistake was made, which, if not corrected, would lead to serious complications for the two counties. The school law is contained in the Political Code and section 1817 of that code is as follows:

"The County Superintendent of each county, having a population of less than 200,000 inhabitants, must, on, or before the first regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors in September of each year, furnish to the Supervisors and the Auditor, respectively, an estimate in writing of the minimum amount of county school fund needed for the ensuing year."

Then follows a statement of the manner in which the amount of this estimate must be computed. The next section, No. 1818, is, in part, as follows:

"The Board of Supervisors in each county having less than 100,000 inhabitants, must annually at the time of levying other taxes, levy a school tax, etc., etc."

The remainder of the section prescribes how this tax must be levied. It will be seen that in the first section quoted provision is made for an estimate of the school tax needed in all counties of less than 200,000 population, but in the next section the law which gives the Supervisors authority to levy that tax applies to counties only in which the population is less than 100,000. There is no provision anywhere in the law for counties of between 100,000 and 200,000, and Los Angeles and Alameda counties come within that class.

Superintendent Kirk has prepared a bill, which will be introduced, which substitutes 342,000 for the population mentioned in both sections, and when this bill passes, it will correct the mistake, and leave the law as it was intended, until such a time as one of the counties exceeds that limit of population.

QUORUM RULE.

ADOPTED BY COMMITTEES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the Judiciary Committee of the Senate today it was decided that seven members would constitute a quorum, and that four of the members would be a sufficient majority with which to report a bill.

The Senate Committee on Municipal Corporations, which also held a meeting, adopted the same rule regarding a quorum.

The Committee on Federal Relations formally considered the Sanford Omnibus Statehood Bill, and by a majority vote decided to report against it. A minority report was filed by Senator Emmons.

What is commonly known as the Tom Nosler Bill, providing for the collection from the Federal government of $3,951,315.42, alleged to be due the State as war claims, was upheld. The measure has been passed twice by the Legislature and vetoed by Govs. Budd and Gage.

That members of the Legislature might meet to perfect the organization of the committees which had been named, afternoon sessions were not held by either the Senate or the Assembly today. The committee work was commenced immediately after adjournment in some cases, while other committees did not meet until this afternoon. At a late hour tonight several of the committeemen were still engaged in their labors.

SEE A GREAT LIGHT ON CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

LOS ANGELES MEMBERS GET OUT OF COMATOSE CONDITION.

Somnolence That May Have Been Due to Opiates Administered by Walter Parker Succeeded by Display of Zeal—Opposition Keeps Underground.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Some of the Los Angeles members of the Legislature seem to have seen a great light with reference to what is expected of them in the matter of supporting the Los Angeles charter amendments, now before the Legislature for ratification. After the committees were announced, a marked apathy was shown by some of the Los Angeles statesmen, so marked, in fact, that there was more than a suspicion that they would not support the amendments with sufficient vigor to insure their ratification. Of course, they did not oppose the amendments openly, but the influence of the opposition was strong, and was seemingly having its effect. Some Los Angeles members were using the plan of "damning by faint praise," and the effect, had this been continued, would have been the same, or worse, than open opposition.

Yesterday and today there has been a change. What caused it is not known; but for some reason the Los Angeles members, who had not been at all zealous in the matter, began almost falling over one another in their efforts to be set right, and to declare that they would do all that could be done for the amendments.

One of the members came out in a statement that he did not know that there had ever been any opposition to the amendments, and was sure there is no opposition now. He may be right in the latter statement, but if he did not know that Walter Parker and others were knifing the amendments, he must have been asleep.

This change of front may not mean that all danger to the amendments has been removed; in fact, it is suspected that the opposition, realizing that it would not be proper to tie up with any Los Angeles members, has determined to use other members to make its fight. This, however, is only a suspicion, as yet.

The Senate Committee on Municipal Corporations, of which Savage is chairman, met today for the first time, and the plan was for the Los Angeles charter amendments to be considered at once. It was decided, however, to postpone everything until tomorrow afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Meantime public notice will be given that the matter is to be taken up, and if there be opposition it may then appear.

Senator Tyrell of Nevada county, declared that the committee does not intend to rush matters through, but that it will take its own time. He suggested that at least a week be given to the consideration of all the various charters which will come before the committee. Senator Savage said he knew of no opposition to the Los Angeles amendments now, and that it is his intention to secure their ratification as quickly as possible. Once out of committee, and reported favorably, they can be passed by both houses in a very few days provided opposition inspired by the crafty enemies of the charter does not come from some unexpected quarter.

ASSEMBLY BILLS.

FAVORABLY REPORTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—No objection to the appropriation of $20,000, to be used as Assembly contingent expenses, was found by the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Assembly Committee on Capital and Labor reported favorably on Camp's bill providing that all establishments where women or girls are employed shall have at least one seat for every three persons employed.

The measure formally exempting churches from taxation was reported favorably on by the Assembly Committee on Judiciary.

AGED WOMAN'S AWFUL DEED.

OAKLAND (Iowa) Jan. 19.—Mrs. William Hanna last night brained her husband with a hammer and then cut his throat from ear to ear with a butcher knife, following the bloody deed by taking her own life by severing the jugular vein in her throat. The woman was 70 years of age and her husband 76, and, according to a note left by the woman, she committed the crime because she feared her husband would die and leave her penniless. The husband was a retired farmer and wealthy.

STATE'S DISPLAY AT WORLD'S FAIR.

LEGISLATURE LIKELY TO MAKE LIBERAL APPROPRIATION.

Senator Smith's Bill So Framed as to Prevent Repetition of Paris Scandal—Interest Taken in Matter by Gov. Pardee.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—For the purpose of properly presenting and displaying the industries of California at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held in St. Louis next year the Legislature will be asked during the present session to appropriate the sum of $150,000, to empower Gov. Pardee to appoint a State commission, and to define the duties of that commission. The bill to create this commission will be introduced in the Senate on Tuesday by Senator Fred M. Smith of Los Angeles, and inasmuch as the Governor has repeatedly expressed himself as desirous that the State be properly represented at St. Louis, the bill will probably receive his sanction, and that is about all that is needed to secure its adoption by the two houses.

It was not until he had had a long consultation with the Governor that Senator Smith decided to seek an appropriation of the amount mentioned. He came here with two bills, and at his first consultation with the Governor proposed an appropriation of $200,000, but owing to the present condition of the State Treasury, Gov. Pardee at once stated that in his opinion such an amount would not be necessary, and that it would be a needless expenditure of the public funds. Then $150,000 was mentioned to him, and while the Governor has not committed himself to agreeing to any such appropriation, he has reiterated his desire that the display which California will make shall be in keeping with the size, importance and varied industries of the State. It was not to be expected that the Governor would say in advance just what he would do, but the knowledge that he favors a fine exhibit has greatly encouraged those who are behind this measure.

One of the most important features of the bill, as it will be introduced, and a feature which will be contained in the bill when it is finally adopted, however much it may be amended otherwise, is that it provides that the commissioners who are to represent the State shall have had actual experience at expositions and in exposition work. The present State administration may be relied upon not to appoint men who will go to St. Louis and squander the money of the State on champagne dinners, and by way of diversion engage in fist fights among themselves. There will be no repetition of the scandals of the Paris Exposition Commission, first because this is a different administration, and again because St. Louis is not Paris.

Another provision upon which the Governor will insist is that the bill shall provide a proper check on all expenditures, so that it may be known just what is done with the State's money, whatever the amount, and so that a proper return may be made to the State for the money expended. The salaries provided in the bill will, of course, be subject to change when the measure reaches the Finance Committee. It is also possible that another section may be added limiting the number of attachés, but these various points of minor detail will have to be thrashed out in committee.

The main point is the size of the appropriation, and next to that the personnel of the commission, both of which will depend entirely upon the wishes of Gov. Pardee. While the bill is pending, the Governor will have an opportunity to ascertain the views of those upon whom he must rely for his information as to what the various sections of the State will send to the exposition, and by the time it comes up for final passage it will contain provisions in harmony with his desires. The full text of the bill as it will be introduced Tuesday follows:

"An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting and maintaining a building, collecting, forwarding, installing, maintaining and returning an exhibit of the products of the State of California at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, in 1904; also for preparing and printing literature relating to the State for distribution at said exposition, and providing a commission and expense of commission and attachés.

"Section 1. It is made the duty of the Governor of California, within thirty days of the passage of this act, to appoint three commissioners, one from the northern portion of the State, one from the central portion of the State, and one from the southern portion of the State, who shall constitute the California Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission, not more than two members of which shall belong to the same political party. Said California Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission shall have the exclusive charge of and control of the expenditure of all moneys appropriated by the State of California for erecting and maintaining a suitable building, either for receiving the exhibit or for the reception of visitors, to be known as the 'California State Building,' for the collection, preparing, forwarding, installing and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California supplied by the various counties of the State, and for properly representing the State of California at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held in St. Louis, Mo., in the year nineteen hundred and four; and for preparing and printing literature descriptive of the State of California, its resources, industries and capabilities for free distribution at said exposition; also for the purpose of destroying or removing the State building and returning such portion of the exhibit as is desired to the terminal point of shipment, within the State of California, after the close of the exposition.

"Each of said commissioners shall execute and file with the Secretary of State within thirty days after his appointment by the Governor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars, made to the people of the State of California, which bond must be approved by the Governor. Said bond shall be conditioned for the faithful performance by said commissioners of all the duties enjoined upon them by this act.

"Sec. 2. Said commissioners shall have had actual experience in exposition work, and shall receive from the money hereby appropriated as full compensation for services rendered the sum of three thousand ($3000) dollars, and in addition thereto their actual traveling expenses, and five ($5) dollars per diem when acting as commissioners outside the State of California. The secretary of said commission shall receive two thousand four hundred ($2400) dollars per year, and in addition thereto actual traveling expenses and four ($4) dollars per diem when serving the commission away from the home office of the commission.

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"Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the public institutions of the State of California to assist the commission in every possible way, by loaning it such material in their possession as will add to the attractive features of the State exhibit.

"Sec. 5. This act is exempted from the provisions of section six hundred and seventy-two (672) of the Political Code.

"Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

NEED NOT FEAR ARREST.

Crown Princess of Saxony Guaranteed Full Freedom of Movement in Return for Surrendering Titles.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Dresden correspondent of the Tageblatt telegraphs that besides surrendering all her titles, etc., in consideration of the payment of $7500 yearly, the Crown Princess of Saxony has full freedom of movement, so long as the Saxon and Austrian courts are informed before hand of her intended changes of abode, and she is guaranteed freedom from arrest. It is assumed that the Dresden and Vienna courts knew and approved of her departure from Genoa to Mentone.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

A fire at No. 394 Bowery, New York, burned all Sunday night. One of the firemen, James Corbett, was killed. The loss is estimated at $150,000 or $200,000.

Lake Forest College is closed for a week by order of the Board of Health, owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever in the town and among the students.

Fire yesterday at Chicago destroyed a grain elevator at No. 377 Carroll avenue, Chicago, belonging to the Eckhardt & Swan Milling Company. Loss, $75,000.

Riotous soldiers from Fort Slocum created a panic on a trolley car bound for Mount Vernon, N. Y., Sunday morning and nearly murdered the conductor, Louis Ettinger. Three of them were captured and held for trial.

Two people were seriously hurt and about ten others more or less injured by a grade crossing accident at Hazelwood, Pa., yesterday. The Versailles Accommodation on the Baltimore and Ohio south bound crashed into a Homestead and McKeesport street car.

Two three-story buildings, occupied by the Merchants' Savings and Trust Company, J. A. Williams & Co., wholesale dealers in chinaware, and several Hebrew families, burned at Pittsburgh yesterday. Loss, $75,000. Henry Frackenburg and wife were burned to death.

Fire completely gutted a student rooming-house at Stewart avenue and Osmond Place, Ithaca, N. Y. A number of Cornell students boarded in the house, the occupants of which were awakened by a dog barking just in time to escape in their night clothes. One student jumped from an upper window.

A raid has been made on a Chinese gambling den in New York City, in which fifteen fantan players were captured. A mob of the prisoners' countrymen offered such determined resistance to the removal of the players that it was found necessary to call out the station-house reserves to drive them from the street.

There can no longer be any question as to the extent and gravity of the distress now prevailing in London, says the New York Tribune's correspondent in London. Many thousands of men in excess of the usual average are out of employment this winter, and the workhouses cannot accommodate all the people demanding shelter.

LAHN HARD AGROUND.

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 19.—Several unsuccessful attempts were made this morning to refloat the North German Lloyd steamer Lahn, from Mediterranean ports for New York, which grounded on a sand bank off Tamara Sunday morning. Her cargo is rapidly being discharged into lighters. Some of the passengers have landed and are sightseeing, but the majority remain on board.

KELLY'S FATE IS SEALED.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 19.—After deliberating over the evidence for six hours and fifteen minutes, the jury in the perjury trial of Charles F. Kelly, former Speaker of the House of Delegates, tonight brought in a sealed verdict. In accordance with the court's instructions the sealed verdict was delivered to a deputy sheriff, and the jurors were dismissed to reassemble in court tomorrow and ratify the reading of the verdict.

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The Regular and Democratic committees will meet at 10 o'clock this morning. This was decided on after midnight.

PLATT'S WALK-OVER.

ONE VOTE AGAINST HIM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Jan. 19.—The Joint Republican caucus tonight nominated Thomas C. Platt to succeed himself as United States Senator by a vote of 168 to 1, for Elihu Root, the latter cast by Assemblyman William A. Denison of Jefferson. Every member present, with the exception of Denison, voted for Platt without comment.

The Democratic Senators and Assemblymen held their caucus, and nominated John B. Stanchfield of Elmira as their candidate for United States Senator.

Jenks Begins Second Term.

MONTGOMERY (Ala.) Jan. 19.—Dorsey Jenks, who, on the death of Gov. Sanford in June, 1901, succeeded to the office of Governor of Alabama, and who was elected last November to a full term of four years, was today formally inducted into office. The ceremonies were the most elaborate since Jefferson Davis was inaugurated as President of the Confederate States.

PRESIDENT TO KING OVER THE WIRELESS.

UNITED STATES IN TOUCH WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Messages Sent from Cape Cod to Cornwall and Vice Versa Over the Marconi System—Inventor De Forest Explains the Power of His Method.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SOUTH WELLFLEET (Mass.) Jan. 19.—Following is the text of the messages transmitted today by the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy between Cape God and Cornwall, Eng., between President Roosevelt and King Edward.

His Majesty, Edward VII, London: In taking advantage of the wonderful triumphs of scientific research and ingenuity which has been achieved in perfecting a system of wireless telegraphy, I extend on behalf of the American people most cordial greetings and good wishes to you and to all the people of the British Empire.

[Signed] THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Marconi sent the following to Washington:

WELLFLEET (Mass.) Jan. 19.—Secretary to the President, Washington: Request you to have kindness to inform the President that his message to His Majesty, King of England, has been duly transmitted by wireless telegraph from my Cape Cod station to Cornwall.

[Signed] MARCONI.

King Edward responded as follows:

SANDRINGHAM, Jan. 19.

The President, White House, Washington, America: Thank you most sincerely for the kind message which I have just received from you through Marconi's trans-Atlantic wireless telegraph. I sincerely reciprocate, in the name of the people of the British empire, the cordial greetings and friendly sentiment expressed by you on behalf of the American nation, and I hereby wish you and your country every prosperity.

[Signed] EDWARD R. I.

LEE DE FOREST'S PREDICTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lee de Forest, the young inventor, says:

"Within eighteen months we will be sending aerograms between the United States and the Philippines and China. Within three months we will be exchanging them between the United States and Cuba. The legitimate field for wireless telegraphy is over the sea. We will not establish an overland service, nor do our present plans contemplate communication over the Atlantic Ocean. We will devote ourselves to the Pacific and to the Gulf of Mexico region.

"The De Forest system of wireless telegraphy is the best of which anything is known. It is much more rapid than any other, and more simple. It has the only perfect method for preventing interference. These statements have been proved by demonstrations at the navy yard here and elsewhere.

"The speed at which messages can be sent by the De Forest system is limited only by the expertness of the operator. We have sent forty-eight words a minute in an official test between Washington navy yard and Annapolis, a distance of thirty-six miles. We sent thirty-five words a minute without a hitch or mistake."

Dr. De Forest says that long before the success of trans-Atlantic wireless telegraphy was demonstrated, his company had completed plans and ordered material for spanning the Pacific. Four stations will be established, one at the southern end of California, another, which will be a relay station, at the north end of the Hawaiian group, one near Manila and one at Hongkong, to work with the Manila station. The stations will consist of three towers, which will hold aloft three screens of vertical-wire cable. The towers at Manila and Honolulu will be 250 feet high. That in California will be 210, and one at Hongkong 175 feet high.

Plants will be erected at each station to generate 25,000 volts of electricity. Under the De Forest system of tuning, this voltage will be sufficient, and the low potential makes it impossible for bright sunlight to discharge waves. The estimated cost of the four stations is $182,000, and they are to be completed early in 1904. The distance between the stations will be 2500 miles from Manila to Hawaii, and 2200 miles from Hawaii to California.

At New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 19.—Six furlongs: Spec won, Royal Deceiver second, Safeguard third; time 1:20¾.

One mile, selling: Russellton won, Peat second, Benson Caldwell third; time 1:45.

Six and a half furlongs: Bard of Avon won, Lady Alberta second, Ben Frost third; time 1:28. Belvino finished second, but was disqualified.

Seven furlongs, handicap: Rankin won, Miss Shanley second, Flintlock third; time 1:35.

Six furlongs: Mamselle won, Paramount second, Fair Lass third; time 1:21.

One mile and an eighth, selling: Potheen won; Erne second, The Way third; time 2:03 3-5.

Jay Andrews "Jumped."

SPOKANE (Wash.) Jan. 19.—W. V. Garrett, owner of the Spokane baseball team, today confirmed the report that Manager Jay Andrews had "jumped" his contract, and will be with the Portland team in the new league. Garrett states that this action has been anticipated and provided for, though he declines to state who will be Andrews's successor.

VENEZUELA.

MAKE BOWEN ADJUSTOR.

Method Proposed for Settling Claims of Powers.

Latter Will Accept Reasonable Guarantee of Pay.

Minister Arrives at Charleston on Way to Washington—The Panther's Shooting.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Minister Bowen is expected in Washington tomorrow. It is expected that the representatives of Great Britain and Italy do not feel it incumbent on them to await the coming of Baron Speck von Sternberg before beginning their conferences with Mr. Bowen. Neither the London nor Rome Foreign Office is inclined to favor settlement of their claims by a joint commission, the point being made that they are not interested in the claims of each other, or of Germany. The plan outlined, and which will be submitted to Minister Bowen, contemplates the adjustment of the claims of each power by its representative with Minister Bowen, each nation taking up its claim separately, but along the same broad general lines of procedure. It has been agreed that the claims of private citizens for injuries suffered in Venezuela shall be the first to be adjusted. These claims, in the case of Germany, are believed to aggregate nearly half a million dollars, while those of Great Britain are between $200,000 and $300,000. The powers will insist upon an early settlement of these obligations, and so far as Great Britain and Italy are concerned, they are prepared to accept a reasonable guarantee for prompt payment. All hope of the United States standing surety for these obligations has been dismissed, but an effort will be made to secure them either on the customs collections of Venezuela, or the proceeds of a Venezuelan loan. Cash payment will not be demanded, so far as Great Britain and Italy are concerned, provided a satisfactory guarantee by Castro is offered.

The method of procedure in settling the claims will not be decided until Mr. Bowen arrives, as the representatives of the powers have been instructed that the first move along this line is to come from Venezuela's representative. Minister Bowen while here will act solely as Venezuela's representative. The State Department has made it plain to the powers that the United States does not intend to take a hand in the Washington conferences and merely will act as the means of communication between the Venezuelan envoy, Mr. Bowen, and the representatives of the powers.

The allied powers have not committed themselves yet regarding the raising of the blockade. No such request has been made, and as one diplomat put it, "we do not intend to cross that bridge until we come to it," but intimations have reached Washington that Italy and Great Britain are not inclined to favor a continuation of the blockade after the opening of negotiations, and that Germany will be requested to give her consent, provided Mr. Bowen presents such a request. Should Germany refuse the request of Great Britain and Italy, these powers, it was stated today, will not postpone favorable consideration of Mr. Bowen's request, but will withdraw their ships.

Mr. Bowen said he was going to Washington to represent Venezuela on the commission which would prepare the plan for arbitration of the difficulty between that country and the European powers. He was not an attorney for Venezuela, he explained, and was not to be remunerated for his services. He said he was acting at the request of and from the courtesy of the Venezuelan government, and at the desire of the United States government, in the hope that his undertakings would bring about an early settlement of the trouble. Mr. Bowen said that the Venezuelan government had allowed $5000 for the expenses of his mission, which he would account for in the usual form, and that besides this there would be no expense to Venezuela for his services.

PANTHER SOUGHT TO POUNCE.

WANTED WARSHIP MIRANDA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MARACAIBO (Venezuela) Jan. 19.—[By South American Cable.] There is no communication between Maracaibo and the Fort of San Carlos, which was shelled Saturday by the German cruiser Panther and which returned the fire, with the result that the warship retreated in the direction of Curacao. One hundred and twenty shots were fired from the fort during the engagement, and the walls of the fort were slightly damaged. The Panther has resumed her position at the entrance of Lake Maracaibo, where she maintains the blockade.

The reports that the German gunboat at the time of the engagement was trying to force the entrance of the lake in order to capture the Venezuelan gunboat Miranda, which is in hiding there, are generally believed here. The Venezuelan government has given out a statement to this effect.

NO ORDERS FROM BERLIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—The Navy Department has not received any official advices regarding the bombardment of Fort San Carlos, at the entrance to Lake Maracaibo, by the German cruiser Panther Saturday, and is unable to either confirm or deny the press dispatches. The officials say, however, assuming that something in the way of a bombardment took place, no orders were sent from Berlin. Whatever was done was the result of the initiative of the commander on the spot, in whose discretion the conduct of the blockade was left. The government relies on Commodore Scheder to observe all the formalities usual in applying force, and is confident that neither he nor any subordinate commander did anything not strictly in accord with the usages of international law.

IN THE REICHSTAG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—In the Reichstag today Foreign Secrtary Von Thielman in opening the budget debate alluded to the Venezuelan blockade. He said: "The appropriation for the navy has not been increased by the blockade, which became necessary through the unfriendly attitude, to use on stronger expression, of the Venezuelan government toward our well-grounded claims. The government at first thought it would be necessary to ask for a supplementary credit, but the vessels being near at hand, the extra expense has not been great. We do not know how long this blockade will continue, and it may be necessary to ask for money later."

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Pacific Northwest League's Scheme to Beat the Coast League—Morley's Dollars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] J. J. Corbett, who is playing a week's engagement at one of the local theaters, said today that he would accept the offer of the Fort Erie Athletic Club of a purse of $25,000 for a twenty-round boxing contest with Jeffries. Corbett will train during the week at Hitte's gymnasium in this city.

Corbett already has $5000 up in forfeits to bind a match with the champion. He first deposited $2500 with Sam Thrall of San Francisco, and a few days ago he put up $2500 more with Al Smith of this city. He thus has both ends of the proposition covered.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

LUCAS'S WILD SCHEME.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A letter received by Henry Harris from Seattle yesterday reveals the wild t scheme yet thought of by the Pacific Northwest League people in their endeavor to keep the Coast League out of Seattle and Portland. The Lewis and Clark Expedition Centennial Fair will concern the whole Northwest, and the Washington Legislature is expected to appropriate several hundred thousand dollars to assist it. President Lucas is now working on the legislators in an endeavor to have the appropriation held up, unless the Coast League agrees to relinquish its team in Portland.

Another plan that is being foisted by Lucas is to have a number of influential business men who favor Dugdale's team call on local stockholders in the Seattle Pacific Coast League team and try to talk them into withdrawing their subscriptions.

To show the desperate position of the Pacific Northwest League in Seattle, Dugdale has not only lost his old ground, but has nothing in the way of a park except a verbal option on the old Madison-street grounds, which are situated thirty-five minutes' ride from the center of town.

MORLEY'S DOLLARS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Concerning the proposed baseball opposition in Los Angeles, Vice-President Eugene F. Bert is qualified to talk, as he has just returned from a private business trip to the south. He says that the scheme of the rivals there is nothing but the flimsiest kind of vapor, scattered broadcast for a purpose. He investigated the story of a lease having been signed for the grounds, and found it to be a misstatement. Bert says further that Charlie Reilly cannot be very deeply interested in the movement, as he is now dickering with Morley, and the only thing keeping them apart is a few dollars.

RACING AT OAKLAND.

SEVERAL EXCITING FINISHES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—There was some good sport at Oakland today, and several races resulted in exciting finishes. Before the first race the weather was somewhat cloudy, but the sun shone later, and the track was fast. The surprise of the afternoon occurred in the two-year-old race, for which Selected was favorite. Rose Farr, a daughter of Creighton and Sevens, made her first appearance, and at odds of 20 to 1, won from Hoceo and Floriano Bell. The stewards reinstated Jockey Lee Jackson on probation. He was suspended for a ride on Ilowaho at Ingleside. At the annual meeting of the New California Jockey Club, Thomas H. Williams was re-elected president, and Adam Andrew vice-president. Jockeys Skeets Martin and Johnny Reiff were visitors at the track today. Word was received that Jockey Willie Shaw will soon arrive from Mexico. Summary:

Six furlongs: Harry Thatcher, 103 (Donnelly,) 9 to 1, won; Cathello, 99 (J. Daly,) 12 to 1, second; Myrtle H., 104 (J. Sheehan,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:15. Master, Fairbury, Frank Peace, Intrepido, El Piloto, Pirate Maid, Derby Winner and Senator Bruce also ran.

One mile, selling: Andrew Ring, 122 (Minder,) 7 to 5, won; Merwan, 110 (Knight,) 13 to 5, second; Young Marlow, 109 (Alarie,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:42. Brumel, Chemist, Tortulla and Baby Bird also ran.

Three and a half furlongs, selling: Rose Farr (Kelly,) 20 to 1, won; Hoceo (Bullman,) 4 to 1, second; Floriano Bell, (Waldo,) 5 to 1, third; time 0:42. Raveline, Selected, Knob Hampton and Easter Lady also ran.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: Nigrette, 83 (Connell,) 12 to 5, won; Hermencia, 107 (J. Daly,) 9 to 5, second; Dupont, 93 (Adkins,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:47¼. Frank Woods and Tufts also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Laura F. M., 97 (C. Kelly,) 6 to 1, won; Barkleyite, 110 (Bullman,) 8 to 5, second; Mexicanna, 84 (Reed,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:14. Divinia, Dollie Wiethoff and Rubus also ran.

One mile, purse: Cunard, 101 (Donnelly,) 6 to 5, won; Proper, 89 (Connell,) 8 to 2, second; Searcher, 103 (C. Kelly,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:40. Claude, Dainty and Bragg also ran.

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BUBONIC PLAGUE.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

seemed proper, but you would insist that it be done at once, and would say: 'Whatever you do, get this thing finished, and give me a clean bill of health, and the sooner the better.'"

Then it was that the Governor used the words first quoted. Continuing, he said:

"It has been stated many times that this disease which they call plague has existed in California for many years. Dr. Lane, for whose professional and personal opinion I have the highest regard, has informed me that he has been treating this disease among the Chinese almost since he came to the State, and that was soon after the Civil War. If it be plague, and I do not say that it is, it certainly is not virulent, and is not a subject for unnecessary alarm.

"The body which is now in session in Washington is there by authority of an act of Congress, which provides that where the health authorities of five States petition the Surgeon-General of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service so to do, he shall call a conference of the health authorities of the various States, and it is just such a conference which is now being held.

"It is not a question of what we believe; it is for us to take such measures as we may be directed to take. It does not follow as a result of what has already been done that there will be a quarantine by taking the proper measures that will be avoided, and it is for us to take those measures, whatever they may be.

"When will action be taken? Certainly not until I am in possession of more information than I have at present. I have not heard from Dr. Gardner, but know that he will advise me fully and at once. When we know what we must do, then will be time enough to act and then we will act."

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TESTIMONY SHOWING EFFECT OF MINERS' UNION.

Before Its Appearance the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Never Had a Strike and Wages Increased Thirty-five Per Cent.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

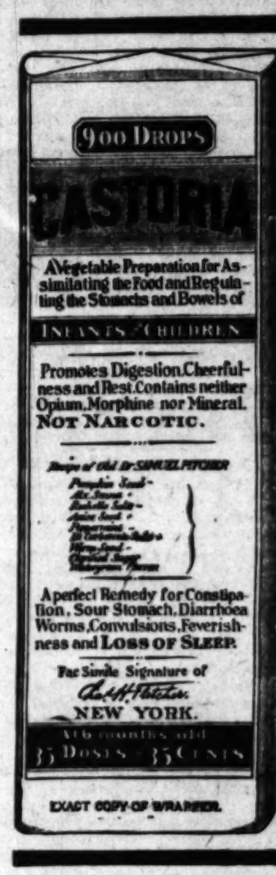
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—The examination of Col. R. Phillips of Scranton, general superintendent of the mining department of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, took up the greater part of today's session of the strike commission.

He testified that the company never heard any complaints against paying the men by the car instead of by weight until the advent of the United Mine Workers. He said it makes no difference whether the miners are paid by the car or by weight, so long as the rate paid is fair. The company, he said, never had any trouble in regard to wages until the union came into the field. Col. Phillips said the contract miners will now cut only five or six cars instead of six or seven as they did before the strike of 1900. In consequence the company, he said, has to employ 10 per cent. more men than it did two years ago, in order to get out the same amount of coal.

The men at the company's mines have a beneficent accident society. After the 1900 strike the society was dissolved, and immediately reorganized. This was done, he said, to keep out the non-union men who were "black-balled."

From 1877 to 1900, the relations between the men and the company were pleasant, and during that period there were no strikes. Wages, he said, were voluntarily increased 35 per cent. Including the increase given as the result of the 1900 strike, wages of the men have been increased 45 per cent. since 1877.

Phillips said he had no objection to the company's employés organizing their union, for collective bargaining. He thought they had a right to organize, and he had no objection to their being affiliated with other labor organizations. He did not think it right for officials of the United Mine Workers of America to come in and make the bargains for the men.



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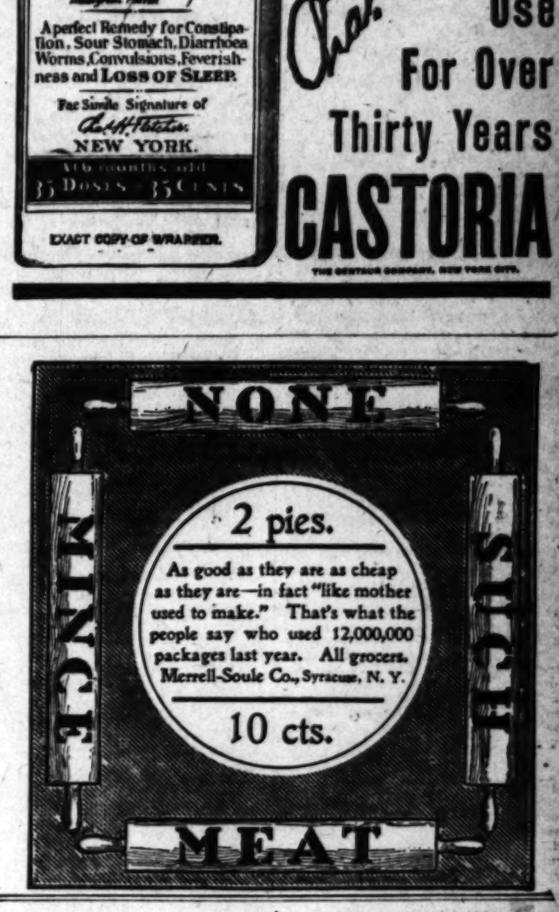

WHAT STRUCK HIM?

An unknown man was found at Republic and New High streets at 2:30 o'clock this morning by Nightwatchman Williams. He was lying in the gutter, as though he was dead. At the Receiving Hospital a three-cornered wound was found in the back of his head. There was nothing on his person. It is supposed that he was knocked on the head and robbed.

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BUSINESS.

Credits were exchanged at the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday, since Saturday noon, in the sum of $1,001,737.49, as compared with $939,678.82 for the same period last year.

Bullish news affected the Chicago wheat pit yesterday, and the market closed seven-eighths of a cent over Saturday's closing price. The New York stock market was listless, and the close was easy.

BUBONIC PLAGUE CONFERENCE. At yesterday's session of the bubonic plague conference now being held in the national capital, Surgeon-General Wyman read a telegram from Dr. A. P. Glennan (who was sent to San Francisco as a special agent of the government to investigate the plague situation,) under date of Saturday, January 17, giving a review of the situation up to that date as follows:

"Eighty-seven cases have occurred in Chinatown; six sickened in other parts of the city; none proved to have originated in the country. Total, six whites; four Japanese, and eighty-three Chinese. Last case outside of Chinatown, Caswell, October 31. As man's personal habits were bad, it is possibly of Chinatown origin, but I could not trace connection."

The Surgeon-General also read a letter from Dr. Glennan, in which the writer stated that of a total of twenty-two dead rats found in Chinatown within a given period, eleven were discovered to have been infected, and that of fifty-four rodents caught alive, four were found to have been infected. It is hardly necessary to point out the fact that these findings give the lie direct to the absurd claim of the late Gov. Gage, and his subservient tools of the existing State Board of Health, that "there is no bubonic plague in San Francisco, and never has been any."

The criminal policy of suppressing the truth, inaugurated by the late Governor, and pursued to the end of his wretched administration with brutal disregard of the truth, and of the true interests of California, has already borne its expected fruit in the steady (though providentially slow) increase of the disease in San Francisco. The end of this idiotic policy of suppression is in sight. Gov. Pardee's action in sending Dr. Gardner to the Washington conference as the special representative of California indicates that the new Governor is alive to the dangers of the situation, and there is every reason to believe that he will promptly take the action necessary to stamp out the infection instead of shutting his eyes to the dangers of the situation.

The Washington conference is composed of representatives from the boards of health of nineteen States, of Indian Territory, and of the District of Columbia. This fact is in itself sufficient to entitle its deliberations to the utmost respect, and to give weight to the conclusions arrived at. After a discussion of the situation, the conference adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, this conference believes without a shadow of division of opinion, that plague exists and has existed in San Francisco, the representative from California, Dr. Gardner, is requested to present to this conference within as short a time as possible, definite signed assurances from the Governor of the State and the Mayor of San Francisco, which will bind the City Board of Health and the State Board of Health, so far as these two men can control those officers, to assume each their several and joint responsibility in the suppression of plague, and to pursue them to the utmost in harmony with each other and in full co-operation with the United States Board of Health and marine hospital service."

This request is amply justified by the existing situation at San Francisco. And it is gratifying to The Times to be able to say that it has reliable assurance that Gov. Pardee will take the requisite action with as little delay as possible. It is not apparent that Mayor Schmitz can reasonably refuse to do likewise, even if he is still inclined to adhere to the Gage fiction that "there is no plague in San Francisco."

At Mazatlan, Mexico, the plague is raging with much virulence, and it is the belief of the medical authorities that the infection was carried there from San Francisco. Since January 1, there have been 107 deaths from the plague at Mazatlan, the deaths numbering seven on January 15, and many new cases are reported. Over one hundred wooden buildings and two stage coaches, which had sheltered plague victims, have been burned. Notwithstanding the heroic measures which have been adopted, the disease is still spreading, and a reign of terror exists. All this is one of the evil results which have grown out of the indefensible and criminal policy inaugurated by Gage, and pursued to the very end of his administration, in the face of cumulative and overwhelming evidence that it was wrong, pernicious, and dangerous to the public health. It is time for this criminal folly to cease.

HAIL THE SAND MIXERS! The retail grocers are coming to California next year in one grand and glorious bunch. They will be welcomed by factories where sugar is made; by orchards where the fruit comes from that stands in cans on their shelves; by the bees that make the limpid honey that they sell at top prices; by the mills that grind the finest flour in the world, from the best wheat in the world; by the finest olives that grow; by the sweetest and handsomest oranges that were ever done up in tissue paper; by strawberries in their beds, that are bigger and redder than those that slumber in the beds of any other section of our glorious land; by guavas and pineapples, and cherimoyas, and an apple crop that is no slouch; by sand on the seashore that may be used in sugar, for those given to the practice of sanding sugar, and, best of all, by an enthusiastic and optimistic populace that believes in its country and that wants everybody else to believe in it. The grocers are to be commiserated in that they are not to come here until next year. But better a year late than not at all. They will find this California country the place they long have sought, and we, thus far in advance, guarantee them a great and instructive time in our midst.

FAR ENOUGH, AND NO FARTHER. The anti-trust bill, we are promised, will not be too drastic, but just drastic enough. It is an excellent idea. There are corporations and corporations, as there are doubtless trusts and trusts. The corporation that is doing business along legitimate lines, with fairness and honesty, should be let alone; and the corporation that is engaged in an attempt to cinch the public, to corner the necessities of life and to join other corporations in constraint of trade, should be dealt with in a manner befitting the crime. It is the aggregation of capital in corporations that has enabled America to become the industrial wonder of the world, and, so long as such aggregations of men and money perform their proper functions in the world of commerce and business, they should not be hampered by restrictions, nor harassed by onerous laws. But for the combines fostered for the spoliation of the public, such as the beef combine, the Standard Oil combine, and other organizations of the same character, it is well that effort should be made to hold them in check. The liberties of the people are involved in this matter, for there is no greater menace thereto than tremendous aggregations of money in the hands of men without conscience. It is the opinion of The Times that there is sufficient wisdom at Washington to prepare an anti-trust law that will go far enough, without going too far. And that is what the people demand.

Latest reports from Mazatlan would indicate that the plague situation is still acute, and that consequent suffering must be great. In this connection it should not be forgotten that an appeal has been made to this country in behalf of the stricken people there which has had but little consideration as yet. This particular community, which has been so favored of fortune of late, should be prompt to respond to the cry for succor that comes to us from our Mexican neighbors. The Times will gladly account for and forward any funds given into its hands for the relief of those in such dire distress.

We need an assistant oil inspector in Los Angeles much less than we do some system by which the oil producers will confine their waste to their own back yards, and not permit it to gaum up the streets and sidewalks in certain sections of the city. Figueroa street has been particularly badly treated with regard to the oil nuisance, and speedy reform should be had for the benefit of all concerned.

It appears that Messrs. Beale and Williams, who assaulted a San Francisco editor in a particularly raw and flagrant manner, in his own home, and were let off through the peculiar operations of a San Francisco jury, are not yet at the end of their trouble, suit having been entered against them by the permanently injured man for a sum in excess of $100,000. They ought to be glad to pay the money, for had they received their just deserts, both of them would now be wearing garments other than those sartorial effects turned out by San Francisco tailors.

Those Texas oil gushers were not stayers, in which they resemble the human being. The fellow who rips out all he knows the first time he opens his mouth will not do to bank on as the backing for a contract, any more than would those Texas wells that have petered out to such an extent that bankruptcy has fallen upon some of their operators. The California oil well is not much of a gusher, but as a stayer it is like the level-headed fellow who doesn't say much; it is "Johnny-on-the spot."

If the coalless East knew, in their entirety, the conditions that surround life in California, they would flock across the plains in bigger trainloads than they are now coming in. But it would be mighty hard on the masters of transportation of the transcontinental lines, who are now being driven to their wit's end to provide sufficient rolling-stock to accommodate the people who want to reach the land of sunshine and roses as quickly as steam and muscle will let them.

There is sense in the proposition to unsex habitual criminals, but it is a question whether California is sufficiently advanced to dare the undertaking. Such a proceeding would certainly cause malefactors to give this State a mighty wide berth, and that it would reduce the criminal crop of the future there can be no question. Why not try the experiment?

A transcontinental pipe line for the transportation of California oil to the eastern market would be more welcome to manufacturers across the divide than isthmian canals in two different places, and the cost would be infinitely less. While waiting for commencement of digging on the canal, why not lay two or three thousand miles of pipe?

The doctrine of Mr. Munroe, the Montana slugger, appears to be to get as much free advertising as he can at the expense of the reputation of our Los Angeles pug, the eminent hitter, Mr. Jim Jeffries. And he is getting it in great copiousness, which goes to show that he has an acute judgment in the selection of a press agent.

Notwithstanding her near proximity to the anthracite beds, Philadelphia has had to close her schools because of the lack of fuel. It must be that the City of Brotherly Love is above going out and bushwhacking for coal, in accordance with the ruling method in the cold belt.

Secretary Hay's beautiful and telling tribute to the President at the New York banquet of the Ohio Society will be echoed in the heart of every patriotic American. The man in the White House has the country behind him. It will also be behind him in 1904.

The iconoclastic trolley line is about to invade the Yosemite. The time is not far distant when man will be unable to find a spot in all the land where he can escape the whir of wheels and the flash of electricity on the wire when the trolley rolls across a switch.

There was a time when the hold-up men were operating against trains carrying gold, silver and other precious things. But times have changed considerably—it is coal trains that the hold-up men are after these cold days in the blizzard belt.

In the gentle springtime the President will start West on a combination hunt—for b'ar and a Los Angeles fiesta. No guarantee will be given regarding the former, but the carnival will be here right on time, and in luxurious bloom.

The big 16-inch gun has spoken, and we haven't the slightest doubt that its voice has been heard around the world. Let us hope that it will never be necessary to fire a shot from it against an enemy.

A city which plants ten miles of trees in one day, as Stockton has done, deserves the fame that such enterprise will secure to it. Wish we could be proud, too.

We would warn the newcomer to California that it will be next spring before he knows it. Time is mighty deceiving under these blue skies.

Instead of being thankful that they got across the drink, the passengers on the steamer St. Louis are roasting "central."

If dust were dollars, residents of Los Angeles would be the richest people, per capita, on the face of the earth.

The French government is dallying with socialism, and incidentally breeding a scab, in all human probability.

The Weather Bureau and the coal dealers, back East, appear to have created a little merger of their own.

The poolroom paraphernalia will go to join the slot machines on the Los Angeles dump, maybe.

The West appears to be determined to continue to produce great pugilists, as well as great men.

Will the time ever come when there are no holes on Broadway?

PATRIARCH ORMANIAN WOUNDED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 19.—While celebrating mass in the Kumjapau Cathedral today, upon the occasion of the Armenian Christmas, the Armenian Patriarch Ormanian was wounded by a shot from a revolver in the hands of a drug cxlerk. His wound is not mortal. The shooting is believed to have been planned by a committe of agitators. The drug clerk was almost lynched after he fired the shot.

GLENN COURT-MARTIAL.

MANILA, Jan. 19.—The defense today in the trial by court-martial of Maj. Edwin S. Glenn, attempted to introduce testimony tending to show that money was collected in the island of Samar to prosecute Maj. Glenn and other officers. Evidence showing the existence of a fund was admitted, but the rest was excluded. Many captured insurgent documents were introduced, confirming previous testimony regarding the insurgents system of spies, assassins, and other violations of the laws of war.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Astor, F. W. B. De Zart; at the Fifth Avenue, I. B. Hamilton; at the Waldorf, S. D. Godbe.

END COMES TO GONZALES

Tillman's Victim Answers Call of Death.

Murderer Receives News Without Apparent Emotion.

Grief Hangs Like a Pall Over South Carolina—Last Hours of the Editor.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLUMBIA (S. C.) Jan. 19.—After four days of suffering, death came shortly after noon today to Narciso Gener Gonzales, editor of the Columbia State, who was shot last Thursday by Lieut.-Gov. James H. Tillman. Gonzales was unconscious when the end came. His wife, his three brothers, his sisters, members of the editorial staff of the State and the surgeons were present. A few moments after the end came it was known all over Columbia. There was no apparent anger, no display of excitement, but an unnatural quiet is noticeable throughout the city.

This morning Dr. W. Gill Wylie, after consulting with Drs. Guerry and Barren and members of the family, decided to try the experiment of an intravenous injuction of formaldehyde. At 9 o'clock the injection was made in the arm. It was known that favorable results in arrest of the peritonitis, if they follow at all, would be at once manifest. But there was no improvement. As time passed the patient's respiration grew weaker, and the evidence of approaching death became plainer. Just before the end the surgeons, by request, resorted to a second injection. There was a momentary strengthening of the pulse, but almost before the injection had been completed, Gonzales was dead.

An autopsy on the body was held by Dr. A. B. Knowlton, county physician, this evening. Dr. Le Grand Guerry and James McIntosh, who attended Gonzales, assisted.

It is understood that the finding of the autopsy was that the direct cause of death was sepsis, due to a sloughing of the large bowel at the place of injury to that organ.

Coroner Greene empaneled a jury composed of well-known business men. The jury viewed the body, after which the inquest was adjourned until 8 o'clock in the evening. The body was then taken to the residence of Gonzales on Henderson street.

Attorney Coleman T. Bleaz, who is said to be one of Tillman's lawyers, was present when the jury was at the hospital, but took no active part in the proceedings. Soon after the death of Gonzales, a telephone message carried the news to Capt. Sligh, the county jailer, and he apprised Tillman. It is stated that the latter received the intelligence without any expression, or betokening any emotion. He was asked tonight if he would make a statement and replied through his brother-in-law, ex-Judge Buchanan, that he had nothing to say.

The funeral will take place from Trinity Episcopal Church at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Allison Capers, bishop of the diocese of South Carolina, will conduct the rites. The active pallbearers will be ten members of the State force.

When the news that the end had come was bulletined to Charleston today, the flags on the building of the News and Courier, and Charleston Post were at once placed at half-mast.

Throughout today and tonight hundreds of telegrams of sympathy have been pouring in, not only from communities, and newspaper offices of South Carolina, but from many American citizens, North and South. Among them were expressions from Hugh M. Thompson of New York, ex-Governor of South Carolina, and Gonzalo de Quesada, Cuban Minister to Washington.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. "The Man from Mexico" cannot properly be classed as pure comedy, for it goes far afield into the land of farce, and seldom gets back to a legitimate comedy basis. It is, in fact, a rollicking farce-comedy, but with more of consistency and reasonableness than are usually found in the sort of plays which of late years we have been accustomed to term farce-comedies.

The amount of reasonableness to be found in "The Man from Mexico," however, is not large. Much (about everything, in truth,) has to be taken for granted. It is an impossible story of mistaken identity and transparent scheming—all for the sake of fun and frolic. Benjamin Fitzhew (the leading character,) having gone out for a lark with his friend, Col. Roderick Majors, is caught in an un-nice resort, in a police raid, and is sentenced to serve thirty days in jail on Blackwell's Island. In order to keep the knowledge of his humiliating position from his wife and friends, he announces that he is going on a trip to Mexico, for a period of thirty days. One act is devoted to his experiences in prison, and the last act is devoted to his triumphant home-coming, for which auspicious occasion Fitzhew provides himself with an approved Mexican costume, and returns to find his wife and her sister also thus gayly attired, in honor of his return. Thus Fitzhew acquires the sobriquet of "The Man from Mexico."

The play is a mess of nonsense, without other merit than its mirth-provoking qualities. These are to be commended, in that they do not degenerate into vulgarity; nor do they often descend to the level of driveling silliness. Some of the situations are genuinely funny, and there are numerous bright touches of wit, which help to make the piece enjoyable.

Leslie Morosco meets the requirements of the role of Fitzhew in a fairly satisfactory manner. His interpretation, while not altogether convincing, is highly amusing. One merit of the performance is that there is "something doing" while the curtain is up. Mr. Morosco does his part in keeping things moving. Swift action is necessary to success in a play of this kind; for if the observer be allowed time to analyze, compare and deduce, the incongruities become seriously apparent. Mr. Morosco seems not to have fully identified himself with his role, but he will doubtless approximate more and more nearly to that position, with each repetition. It is a role than an actor cannot perfect in a day, but must grow into by degrees, adding new "business"—and abandoning some old "business"—with each performance.

Leila Shaw is fair to look upon, and she carries the role of Clementina Fitzhew with much credit, though apparently not altogether at ease in the part. She presents an attractive figure in the Spanish costume, and does a neat dance.

The other roles are acceptably presented, as a rule. Edward Warren as Col. Majors, gets numerous laughs. Clarence Baker might be worse as Willie Lovel, the warden. J. L. Ordstand is fearful and wonderful in his plug-ugly make-up as the Tammany deputy sheriff. Timothy Cook, Louis Peters as Von Bulow Bismarck Schmidt presents an amusing German caricature. The engagement will close with tonight's performance.

BURBANK THEATER. The Neill company has emerged from the clinging mire in which it wallowed last week, and makes its bow again in decent drama. It is supposed that the company has undergone the purifying effects of a moral shower bath, for the appearance this week is clean and wholesome. By following the straight path for a year or so, and presenting only such dramas as are up to the standard of "The Charity Ball," the company may regain to some degree the public confidence which was rudely shattered by its lurid, half-world exploits of last week.

With a fairly complete galaxy of stars the company's interpretation of the piece is probably the best that has been witnessed in Los Angeles. The play abounds in witty dialogue, much of which would not discredit an author of the John Kendrick Bangs type. The portrayal has been edited by artistic touches here and there which, although trifles of themselves, have added greatly to the effect. The study at the rectory shown in the third act is not a bad bit of scenic work. The shadowy walls contrast prettily with the mellow tints from the fireplace and the bright moonlight on the snow-covered world outside. The tinkling of sleigh bells without, and the vibrant notes of the church organ, contribute to a harmonious setting.

Edythe Chapman's interpretation of the part of Ann Cruger seems to fulfill its exacting demands. At the first night's performance, her work was complimented by some histrionic notables who chanced to be in the audience. One of the hardest parts in the piece is that of Phyllis Lee, which is presented by Margaret Dills. She does it conscientiously, and, in the rectory-study scene, with fidelity. Gertrude Keller makes a vivacious and pretty Bess Van Buren. John W. Burton's interpretation of Peter Gurney Knox, the susceptible old-time jurist, makes the type easily recognizable. Alexander Kearney, as Dick Van Buren, the iron-willed man of Wall street, who refuses to yield to his scruples, has a difficult part, which he presents truthfully.

ORPHEUM. A wondrously beautiful genius is a star attraction in the sketch presented by Tom Nawn and company. Pat has the temerity to touch an ancient vase, just received at the professor's curio shop. The vase is from Egypt, and the fair maiden who has been imprisoned in it for 3000 years, comes out with a crash of thunder, and announces herself as Pat's slave, with power to execute his every wish. Pat ponders on what he will have, and, with everything to be had for the wishing, he concludes that a glass of beer would be about the correct thing. It appears, and after disposing of it, he wishes for more things, and becomes a rival of J. Pierpont Morgan. The sketch abounds in bright ideas, taken from mummyland, with twentieth-century embellishment.

"A Village Lawyer" is the title of a little picture painted with scenery, words and actions by Will M. Cressy and Blanche Dayne. Cressy, who is himself the author of the sketch, has injected a superabundance of sparkling repartee into the old-lawyer's part, but the character is so well done that one scarcely perceives that it is a caricature on the well-known type of caseless disciples of Blackstone.

A musical feature is the appearance of Edith Helena, vocalist. She mounts the upper reaches of the scale with a graceful and almost careless flight, and then soars lightly about the top. The programme claims for her the greatest range of any of the living singers.

A neat turn in entertaining by virtue of good, hard American muscles, is done by the Livingstons. The two women excel in the acrobatic art, and that with the handicap of skirts.

Wood and Bates, colored musical comedians, form an outer layer of the vaudeville sandwich. One of them mystifies the audience into the idea that he is making a lunch of live gold fish.

The four Gargonis are said to produce humor of the brand dispensed in England—a kind to be taken seriously and to be gravely laughed over on the following day. As acrobats they are not bad, but the needless falls and bumps in their turn spoil their work.

The Brittons do a lively bit of clog dancing, the tong-and-hammer brand, with a few creepy steps now and then for variety.

In the biograph series are a lot of views which are said to have been taken of the bullfight at Madrid, at the time of the coronation of Alfonso. The week's bill is entirely new.

Frank Daniels is the next attraction at the Los Angeles Theater, presenting a new extravaganza and musical comedy, called "Miss Simplicity." This production has made a pleasing impression in Chicago, Philadelphia and San Francisco. It will be heard here for the first time on Monday evening, January 26. New features in the West with this company are the girls of the English party, and "The Belles of Sautrelle." These roles are played by twelve haughty young women in stunning gowns of the latest mode. The daughter of Annie Myers of Tivoli fame, Grace Orr Meyers, is the prima donna. Reserved-seat sale opens Thursday morning.

JIM.

When Jim wuz jest a leetle chap,
He played a fiddle, 'bout s-o-o big.
An' all th' neighbors used to like
To git him goin' on a jig.
He was the orchestry fer all
The doin's give fer miles aroun',
An' we wuz proud of Jim, because
He made that fiddle talk, I'm bound'

But now he has a vi-o-leen
Down in the city, where they say
He gives a musicale or two
An' gits, fer them, a whole year's pay!
So us folks in the country feel
Like he has growed too big an' grand
To be reminded of the time
When he was our eentire band.

An', yit, we haven't got no call
To think that way, fer jest last week
Our Jim come home to see his folks
(They're livin' still on Turkey Creek,)
An' when a few of us drapped in
To welcome him he seemed right glad,
And when his pa says, "Play some, Jim,"
He says, "All right, I'll do it, dad!"

An' when he took that vi-o-leen
(Looks like a fiddle, jest the same,)
And started in on them old tunes,
"Well, I was mighty glad I came!
It warn't no musicale, I guess;
But when he stopped, I'd like to bet,
That Jim wuz not the only one
Whose eyes wuz dim an' sorter wet!
—[Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

MILES IN ST. PETERSBURG.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 19.—Gen. Miles and party arrived here today from Moscow. Gen. Miles traveled on a special train, and was accompanied by an escort through Manchuria. In an interview today, the General said he had been impressed with the magnitude and the future possibilities of the country, which has been opened up by the trans-Siberian Railroad.

IMPORTANT DEAL IN RAILROAD WOR[LD]

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Circumstantial details were given today of an alleged new combination between the Rock Island Railroad and the Atchison system, which has practically been completed. It is said that President Leeds, Chairman Daniel G. Reid and Moore Bros. have concluded an arrangement with President E. P. Ripley and Vice-President Paul Morton of the Atchison, which means the Rock Island's abrogation of its traffic contract with the Southern Pacific.

The Rock Island is to transfer its California Pacific Slope traffic business to the Atchison, under terms highly advantageous to it. This means, it is said, the breaking of relations with Edward H. Harriman and the Rock Island group, but their affiliations were purely of a business nature, and on that basis the Atchison won the contest for trade.

INTERVIEW WITH HILL.

MERGER TO BE BROADENED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James J. Hill, president of the Northern Securities Company, had a conference with J. P. Morgan and his partners today concerning litigation to declare the Northern Securities Holding Company an illegal combination. Hill said he was confident the validity of the transportation merger whereby the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington systems were placed under one management will be upheld by the courts. He intimated that the plan of merger will be broadened, and the stockholders of the Northern Securities Company believe it is certain soon to include many more lines.

Hill and Vice-President James Gayley of the United States Steel Corporation also held a conference. They are arrangnig the details of the proposed sale of valuable ore lands in the Northwest, owned by the Northern Securities Company, and which it acquired from the Great Northern Railroad. The lands are said to be extremely valuable, and the United States Steel Corporation has been trying to get them for some time.

J. P. Morgan opened negotiations for the steel trust, which are now being continued by Vice-President Gayley. It is expected that the deal will be consummated before Hill returns to St. Paul.

GULF PORT RATES.

OFFICIAL INQUIRY AT CHICAGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Import rates by way of the Gulf ports are to be the subject of an inquiry by the Interstate Commerce Commission at its session here tomorrow. The inquiry is the continuance of the hearing recently in New York, when import rates by seaboard ports were under investigation. The general inquiry regarding import rates is due to a resolution adopted by the Senate last June, calling for an investigation by a commission, to be followed by a report to the Senate by the last of June.

Special Counsel Marchand has been in Chicago some time securing evidence, and will conduct the investigation. Witnesses have been summoned from the South and Southwest, and the traffic officials of all lines centering in the Gulf ports will be called during the hearing. What the Senate and commission desire to know is the reason why imports carry less tariff rates than a similar class and commodity of articles of a domestic character. For years, manufacturers have been complaining that articles can be manufactured in Europe and sent to California, for example, by way of the seaboard ports at less rates than domestic-manufactured goods from the seaboard to California.

In the New York hearings, the railroad officials claimed that they were not responsible for the import rates which were made and controlled by the steamship lines. An effort, however, is being made by powerful interests to secure the passage of a law prohibiting a less rate on imports than on domestic articles.

WANT EL PASO ROAD.

GOULD INTERESTS NEGOTIATING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Gould interests are negotiating for the purchase of the El Paso and Southwestern Railroad. This is a new system of road which was recently built by the Phelps Dodge Copper Syndicate. It has a length of nearly four hundred miles, and runs from El Paso to points in New Mexico, Arizona and Mexico. Its further western point is Benson, Ariz.

Its line from El Paso to Benson crosses the great divide of the continent at a grade of less than 1 per cent. This is a much lower grade than that of any of the transcontinental lines, and would make it desirable property as a link in Gould's proposed transcontinental line. The road connects with the Texas and Pacific, the Gould line, at El Paso.

The Southern Pacific recently made a good offer for the El Paso and Southwestern, but it was refused.

ESPEE BUYS OIL FIELD.

CONDITIONS AROUND BEAUMONT

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BEAUMONT (Tex.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Southern Pacific Railroad Company has purchased the Saratoga oil field in Hardin county, twenty miles north of here, near Sour Lake. The property consists of about 400 acres, and was purchased of the Beaumont and Saratoga Oil and Pipe Line Company. The purchase price is $320,000. The Southern Pacific is strengthening the fuel-oil industry by such deals as this, and vigorous development follows wherever new territory is acquired.

Railroads handling Beaumont oil from the field to the consumers are in better trim now than they have been at any time since the heavy shipments began. Cars can be secured when they are wanted, and are immediately taken from the loading tracks and sent to the consumer. This condition has been very beneficial to business, considering the number of reports that the field is playing out, and the reactionary effect of high prices.

GATES OUT FOR BIG GAME.

AFTER MORGAN AND BELMONT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John W. Gates is after J. P. Morgan, George W. Perkins and August Belmont for their uncomplimentary expression concerning him in their testimony before the Interstate Commerce Commission here last week, in the Louisville and Nashville inquiry. He resents the lightning way in which they went on record as saying that he was not competent or ... Louisville and Nashville ... object practically was to ...

It is also said that ... accuracy of their statements ... the way in which ... brought about to ... the stock.

Now Mr. Gates has ... Kentucky State Railroad ... that he be granted a hearing ... Interstate Commerce Commission ... der to reply to Morgan ... Belmont. A member of ... Harris, Gates & Co. said:

"It is true that members of the ... Hawley syndicate have ... heard in the case. ... been done Mr. Gates ... of various witnesses, and ... answer them.

"He will testify at any ... mission will set a date, ... the whole story. When ... public can easily see how ... to protect the general ... of the country.

"It was in his power ... but he did not do it, and ... represented for it."

LOVELY ENGLISH ...

Time wuz I 'ad a nest o' ...
They chatter'd an' ...
tha day;
An' what with a' tha ...
mendin',
'Twuz li'l enough o' ...
way—
Sure ...
'Twuz li'l but toil an' ...
way.

At marnin' twuz tha' ...
vaces;
At night 'twuz teachin' ...
to pray;
'Twuz fillin' 'ungry mouths ...
vittels,
An' scoldin' 'em an' ...
day—
My ...
'Twuz frettin' with a' ...
a' day.

'Twuz comin' 'em an' ...
brushin',
An' sendin' 'em to school ...
morn;
An' settin' up o' nights ...
sleepin',
A-patchin' an' a-mendin' ...
torn—
My ...
Tha tiny tummilled ...
been torn.

But now the chillern's ...
wants 'em;
'Tes lonesome an' so ...
zee;
My man is settin' ...
din',
But 'e can't fill tha ...
for me—
No ...
'E'll niver fill tha ...
me.

They a' be gone away, ...
women—
They'm gone into tha ...
their bread;
The awny one' that bides ...
liver
Be yon little poar ...
dead—
Av ...
Tha awny one that's ...
dead.
—[Arthur L. ...

If you don't ca[re] much money yo[u] for a piano, one ti[me] good as another ... ing. But if you ... of the finest pian[o] and want to pay ... for it as possible, ... time for you to buy ... our—

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is still on. Chi[ckering,] Vose, Pease and ... high-grade pianos ... at the lowest price[s] quoted in Los A[ngeles] before. But these ... only for a few day[s] ... we are settled in ... store at 332 and 33[4 South] Broadway. Every ... ment as fully gu[aranteed] as when full price is ...

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MONTGOMERY B[ROS.]
Jewelers—Watch[makers]
Douglas Bldg, Spring and ...

[LO]CAL RAILROAD RECORD.

[CA]LLING FOR THIRD RAIL.

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[Prope]rty owners along Main street [have] become so interested in seeing [th]e board-guage cars of the Pa[cific E]lectric Railway Company reach [the ne]w interurban depot now build[ing at] the corner of Sixth and Main ... that some of them have put [their s]houlder to the wheel to help the [Hunting]ton-Hellman syndicate get up ... These citizens are tired of hav[ing the] company's Long Beach cars [turned d]own on East Ninth street, while [the P]asadena "short line" cars reach [their d]estination in the City of Angels ... "Hobo corner," otherwise oc[casion]ally called First and Los Angeles ...

[The] present arrangement is costing [the] people 5-cent fares because these [cars d]o not run through town. [Accor]ding to the wiseacres, all this [inconv]enience would be stopped if a [third r]ail were laid on Main street, be[ginning] at First and running down to [Sixth] street—not forgetting, of course, [the sm]all strip between Main and Los [Angeles] streets, where recently the ... guarded lest a third rail be laid [in the] nighttime. This is where the [s]treet property owners step in. [They a]re circulating a petition among [thems]elves in behalf of the third rail, [asking] the City Council and the Mayor [to wit]hdraw any possible objections [to the] three-railed tracks, and al[low th]e great improvement in the rail[way] equipment to be made without [furthe]r delay.

[Just] now, it is understood, the peti[tion is] circulating between First and ... streets, although a similar move[ment] is contemplated between Sixth ... [N]inth street.

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"[Of] course," said Mr. Randolph, "we [are n]aturally interested in the move[ment] and such a petition certainly has [our a]pproval.

"[The] public must come to see for [itself] that a better service is possible, ... that the company stands ready to [do e]verything in its power to give ... facilities. In the present in[stance] a third rail is absolutely neces[sary] to accomplish the best results, and [I beli]eve the matter will ultimately be [setti]ed to the satisfaction of the peo[ple if t]hey can solve the problem, and ... must do it.

"[To] be frank, it never occurred to ... or to the recent excitement over ... street, that anybody would ob[ject to] a third rail. We have never ... to steal any street, nor to ... track clandestinely. All the ... granted by the city in these ... years have included the third-[rail cla]use; otherwise, by changing the ... every now and again, we could ... opposition company from us[ing our] tracks, under the law.

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"[That i]s the whole question, but to ... it in the courts would take a ... perhaps. Meantime, the people ... be without a first-class service. ... consideration, doubtless, is ... aroused action on the peti[tions th]at are now circulating. The [que]stion really is over the little ... on First street, but in any event ... public convenience seems to de[mand] that the problem be settled with[out fu]rther delay."

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The property is highly improved, and comprises the handsome country residence of J. de Barth Shorb, deceased, and a ranch set out in oranges, lemons and almost every variety of fruit grown in this climate, all in a high state of cultivation. The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank loaned money upon the property at various times during the life of Mr. Shorb, and its claim on this account amounted to $164,000, exclusive of interest, when it was compelled to begin proceedings to protect its rights. The decision of the Superior Court was in favor of the bank, and the Supreme Court has recently handed down an opinion sustaining that decision, and adverse to the appeal of Mrs. Marin Jesus de Shorb. The question of title is therefore undoubtedly at rest.

The consideration that passed for the property is not named, but it was probably over $200,000. The new owner is said to intend to divide the property into convenient-sized country home sites. It is well located for the purpose.

CITY LOT SALES.

The lot, 60x120 feet, on the southwest corner of Sixth and Hope streets, which Scott W. Alexander recently purchased of Mrs. Hannah E. Haynes, through the agency of Carl Pauley; consideration named, $15,300, is to be improved with a three-story pressed-brick business and hotel building.

Mrs. Elizabeth Schley sells to a local investor, through Edward D. Silent & Co., 50x120 feet on the southeast corner of Boyd and Wall streets, with a six-room cottage; consideration named, $7200.

Don Orrill has purchased of W. W. Robbins, as an investment, 240x180 feet on the west side of Hope street, 120 feet south of First street, unimproved; consideration named, $5000.

Robert Fesch sells to John R. Rebstock a triangular lot on the southeast corner of Pico and Hoover streets, fronting seventy-two feet on the former and 120 feet on the latter, with frame dwelling; consideration named, $4500.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	22	6	11	New York	24	10	17
Washington	33	14	23	Buffalo	14	8	11
Pittsburgh	22	12	17	Cincinnati	28	16	22
Chicago	20	12	16	St. Paul	12	6	9
St. Louis	32	22	27	Kansas City	34	24	29
Los Angeles	64	40	52	Jacksonville	62	44	53

*The maximum is for January 18; the minimum for January 19. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 19.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.19; at 5 p.m., 30.14. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 73 per cent.; 5 p.m., 72 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 40 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Cloudy weather prevails generally from Puget Sound to Central California, and rain has fallen between the Columbia River and Cape Mendocino. Fair, cool weather continues in Southern California, and heavy frost occurred Sunday and this morning in the low lands about Los Angeles.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has fallen rapidly over the intermountain region and has risen slowly along the coast. It is, however, beginning to fall again on the Oregon coast, and changes are such that a disturbance may extend as far south as San Francisco. Rain has fallen in moderate amounts over Oregon, Washington and Northern California. The temperature has risen over Utah, and has remained nearly stationary in California. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday, with rain; fresh southeast wind, high on the north coast.

For Southern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday; light north winds, changing to southwesterly.

Nevada: Rain or snow Tuesday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday; probably rain; brisk southeast winds.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Tuesday, with rain; warmer; brisk south wind.

Liners.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

"CASTOR," BRITISH BARK, CAPT. CAMPbell, from Antwerp, will commence discharging at Port Los Angeles Saturday, January 17, 1903.

Consignees are hereby notified to examine goods before taking delivery of same from ship's side. No claims will be allowed on any goods, whether bonded or free, after removal.

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Second cook, hotel, $60 etc.; mining camp cook, $60 etc.; first-class pastry cook, $75; second cook, restaurant, $12 and $14; oyster opener, $10; third cook, $40 etc.; pantry man, $35; hotel waiter, $30; restaurant waiters, $8 and $9 week; laundry marker and distributor, $60; assistant cake baker, $9 etc.; shop baker, $50 etc.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Housegirl, Pasadena, $30 etc.; second girl, city, $25 etc.; another, $2 in family, $25; housegirls, city and country, $20, $25 and $30; girls, $15 and $20; nurse, $1 day.

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Help, Female.

WANTED—COOK, FAMILY, CITY, $35; SECond girl, city, $25; cook, institution, 12 people, $30; chambermaid, north, $25, fare; pastry cook, Arizona, $60, fare; cook, close in, $30; 2 waitresses, no Sunday work, $8; 2 waitresses, hotel, country, $25; waitress, Santa Barbara, $25, fare here; girl to assist, near city, $15. MISS DAY, 121½ S. Broadway. 20

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WANTED—COOK FOR INGLEWOOD, $30 TO $35; girl, 15 to 20 years old, for general housework, must be reliable, a good place, $15 to $20; 2 girls, general housework, small family, $15 and $20; we have several good positions. MISS M'KENZIE'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 143 S. Broadway. 20

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WANTED—LEARN A TRADE, HAIRdressing, shampooing, scalp treatments, manicuring and facial massage; day and evening classes; terms from $5 up. Formulas given. Suite 101, 405½ BROADWAY. 20

WANTED—COOK RESTAURANT, $14; CITY; pantry girl, $8; ranch cook, $25; waitresses, $9; no Sunday; housegirls, $30; nurse girls, $20. KEIFFER & WEAVER, 74 Bryson Blk., James 8221. 20

WANTED — LADY BOOK-KEEPER AND stenographer, must have had practical business experience, state age, experience, salary, etc. Address in own handwriting, P. O. BOX 738, City.

WANTED—MASSAGE NURSE, PHOTOGRApher's attendant, operator, office, store, clerks, factory, shop, house, hotel, general help. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 21

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO WORK IN photo studio to have charge of reception-room; one who can retouch preferred. Inquire at LOCK BOX 742, Pasadena, Cal. 20

WANTED—GIRLS FOR HOUSEWORK, $25 to $30; also waitresses, $9; girl dishwasher and help wait on table, $3 week; easy. INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 108 W. Third. 20

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL, NOT MORE than 25 years of age and willing to learn for general housework at Ocean Park; wages $20 per month. Call at 402 STIMSON BLOCK, Los Angeles. 20

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN, GOOD COOK and for general housework, with plain family; none but the best; good references. 2424 S. HOPE. 20

WANTED—A YOUNG WOMAN FOR LIGHT housework; family of 2; references required. Call mornings, 1414 S. FLOWER ST., lower flat. 20

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER, $1 per day, and permanent position to right party. Call 432½ S. BROADWAY, room 14. 20

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WANTED—A DINING-ROOM GIRL; WAGES $25 per month, with room. Apply WESTLAKE HOTEL, 720 Westlake ave. 21

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WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and plain German cooking; small family. 451 WESTLAKE AVE. 20

WANTED—2 YOUNG WOMEN TO LEARN surgical nursing. Apply FRALICK HOSPITAL, 420 W. Sixth. 20

WANTED—LAUNDRESS WHO WILL TAKE wash home; long list of orders. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 20

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WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN the care of children. Call 1920 S. FIGUEROA. Pico 7814. 20

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, family 3; wages, $30. 452½ S. BROADWAY, room 20. 21

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; small family and good wages. 257 E. ADAMS ST. 20

WANTED—15 GIRLS TO ASSORT APRICOT pits. SHEPARD'S PACKING-HOUSE, E. 23d st. 23

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG WOMEN. APply SUNSET TEL. & TEL. CO., 327 W. Second st.

WANTED — A GOOD COOK; NO OTHER need apply; good wages. 1025 W. SEVENTH ST. 20

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR GENeral housework. 215 N. BROADWAY. 20

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WANTED — A POSITION AS VALET TO wealthy gentleman, or nurse to invalid, by an educated masseur and chiropodist; thorough knowledge of caring for gentleman's toilet and wardrobe. VALET, general delivery, postoffice. 21

WANTED—CONTRACTORS, DO YOU NEED carpenters, brick masons, plasterers, lathers, teamsters, laborers? We have good mechanics. Addresses, Tel. Main 465, or INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 108 W. Third. 24

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN DESIRING POsition in mercantile business, either wholesale or retail; good character; no bad habits; best of local references. Address V, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—POSITION; ASSISTANT UNDERtaker, by man who is capable of managing a business; also furniture salesman in Los Angeles or vicinity. Address S, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — POSITION AS GARDENER, German; has had wide experience as propogator and nursery man; first-class recommendations. A. S., P. O. BOX 171, Santa Monica, Cal. 23

WANTED—SITUATION AT ONCE BY MARried man, day or contract work in city; also painting and carpenter work done; reference furnished. Address V, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 20

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WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED MAN, position as deliveryman in any good line or salesman in grocery or fruit store. Address V, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 20

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WANTED—[illegible] IN AND TAKEN care of by the month; all kinds of job work done by day or contract. TEL. WHITE 5386.

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WANTED — BY GOOD, RELIABLE YOUNG man, employment; no trade. Leave address. Address V, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 20

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WANTED—SITUATION FIRST-CLASS JAPanese cook, city or country. 744 SANTEE ST.

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WANTED—
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WANTED—DO YOU NEED COOKS, CHAMbermaids, housework, nurses, laundresses, seamstresses, waitresses or companions? We have good girls. Tel. Main 465. INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 108 W. Third. 24

WANTED—GRADUATE OF VASSAR COLlege desires position as governess or companion; willing to assist with light housework. Address T, box 73, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MISS M'KENZIE'S WOMEN'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. Positions of all kinds; competent help furnished; your orders solicited. 143 S. BROADWAY. 21

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WANTED—LADY WANTS 2 UNFURNISHED rooms with employment half day; terms to suit. Call or address 2644 E. SIXTH, city.

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WANTED — SITUATION BY RELIABLE girl for light housework, care children. 508 W. 30TH. Tel. Blue 3291. 20

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG SWEDish girl for general housework, $25; references. JOHN 3101. 21

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WANTED—A POSITION AS WAITRESS OR second work. Address T, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—A SITUATION FOR GENERAL housework. Call at No. 1206 W. ADAMS ST. 21

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WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE AGENTS TO sell in all parts of California or East, stock of a genuine, honest mining company, whose properties are the making of a great mine; this is a good and quick seller. Call or write to A. RAYMER, 423 Byrne Bldg., Los Angeles.

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WANTED—GOOD CIGAR STAND OR GROcery. Address V, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 21

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WANTED — PARTNER, GENTLEMAN OR lady who has $5000 to put into camping and hunting grounds for nervous and consumptives. Will deed half interest in my remedy for lung troubles. Those that mean business can try my remedy. Can get your health and money back in 6 months. P. O. BOX 652. 23

WANTED—PARTNER TO PUT IN $3000 FOR half interest and take charge of office part of an established and well-paying business at a salary of $125 per month; must be sober and reliable. Address P. O. BOX 228, Bakersfield, Cal. 23

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WANTED — FURNISHED ROOMS WITH bath and phone, suitable for three young men. HENRY DOLGE, box 184, city. 24

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A beautiful nine-room house located in the Westlake district. Good cement basement with furnace; walls throughout are beautifully decorated; beautiful drawing room with fine mantel; very handsome brick mantel in the cosy, attractive library; there are beautiful windows in the dining-room; floors downstairs are of selected oak and the finishing is in Flemish oak; large, airy bedrooms are finished in white enamel; superb bathroom with porcelain tub; handsomest lighting fixtures. We doubt if there is a better arranged house in Los Angeles. The builder put into it every convenience and comfort and built it well. Be sure you see this if you want a fine home in this locality.

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$1300—4 rooms, 2021 E. 47th.
$1700—5 rooms, 2 lots, 927 E. 54th.
$950—3 rooms, lot 50x130, ½ cash.
$1200—4 rooms, 2 lots, 1062 E. 53rd.
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FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME ON ONE of the most desirable corner lots of Boyle Heights, recognized as the healthiest part of Los Angeles; house new and modern in every respect; six rooms, all large and very sunny; admitted by everyone to be one of the best finished houses in the city; cars pass the door every 5 minutes; at a price that makes it cheap either for a home or as an investment. Inquire of owner, 2435 E. FIRST ST.

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FOR SALE—HANDSOME NEW 6-ROOM cottage, with gas, bath, electric lights, etc., large lot, with good stable and carriage shed; very desirable neighborhood; price low enough to make it a decided bargain. Inquire of owner, E. E. MEYERS, 923 E. 11th st. 24

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT IN PASAdena (Carlton ave.) lot 60x200 feet, house 5 large rooms, closets, screen back porch, etc.; the house is in good repair, newly painted, sewer work done on street, water piped over the place. Price $1500. W. E. SERVICE, El Monte.

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FOR SALE—MY ELEGANT NEW HOME ON Union ave., just complete; all modern improvements; finest finish, east front; all large sunny rooms, etc.; good reasons for selling. Apply for key at 1100 W. WASHINGTON ST. 21

FOR SALE—6 ROOMS AND BATH; SCREEN kitchen, sink, pantry, etc.; on N. Belmont ave.; must be sold at once. We are sole agents, $1200 buys it. FRANCISCO & JAY, 202 Wilcox Annex. 20

TO LET—TWO 7-ROOM MODERN HOUSES corner Alvarado and 12th sts.; brand new, elegantly finished, with every possible convenience. See OWNER, 811 Grand View. 20

FOR SALE—3 HOUSES, SOUTHWEST—
9 rooms, West 31st st. $3700
8 rooms, 28th, near Grand ave. $3500
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FOR SALE—$2600, 6-ROOM HOUSE, SOUTHwest, 1st-class neighborhood, near cars, east front, a positive bargain. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg.

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FOR SALE—7-ROOM HOUSE, E. 28TH ST., $2300; $250 cash, balance monthly; this is a bargain, you can't afford to miss. H. W. SMITH, 136 S. Broadway. 20

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM 2-STORY FRAME house, 1611 Michigan ave., lot 40x150. See owner, S. P. MULFORD, attorney, Trust bldg., after Jan. 18.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN [illegible] new cottage, at [illegible] terms. WATSON & [illegible] Trust Bldg.

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FOR SALE—A FEW [illegible] sold at once. Call [illegible] gain. 218 S. BROADW[illegible]

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FOR SALE—NEW, [illegible] rooms, furnished. [illegible]

FOR SALE—
City Lots and [illegible]

FOR SALE—

THE IDEAL [illegible]

It lies along the [illegible] and slopes to the east [illegible] From the elevated [illegible] direction, is enchanting [illegible] is the lake and beyond [illegible] hills. To the left [illegible] the hills almost in [illegible] right is Eastlake Park [illegible] to the right and left of [illegible] yond it, miles of [illegible] try, hill and dale [illegible] city, vista after vista [illegible] seems that pretty [illegible] seeing is in sight. [illegible] familiar with it, is [illegible] delightful.

The nine acres lie [illegible] theater; the high ground [illegible] shoe, and sloping gently [illegible] front of the stage [illegible] the parquet and the [illegible] nue, which skirts the lake [illegible] on the other shore [illegible] to Alhambra and Pasadena [illegible]

The whole situation [illegible] treme. The best [illegible] est taste and money [illegible] shaped the ground [illegible] All it needs to make it [illegible] of parks is the [illegible] landscape gardener [illegible] it—the constructing of [illegible] placing of shrubbery.

It would be a fine [illegible] to own and live upon [illegible] good for half a dozen [illegible] genial to each other [illegible] proving it, each building [illegible] somewhere on the "[illegible]" sharing in the general [illegible] the place up. As a [illegible] see how inexpensive it [illegible] tire nine acres can [illegible] $8000.

The property is easily [illegible] lake Park, by way of [illegible] runs to the southwest [illegible] approached by the [illegible] runs almost to it. [illegible] a distance is desired [illegible] an Alhambra car [illegible] handsomely from across [illegible] the office and see us [illegible]

S. K. L[illegible]

FOR SALE—

WEST ADAMS [illegible]

A beautiful "new" [illegible] Adams and Twenty-[illegible] west of Vermont; [illegible] ave., $1175 each; [illegible] ave., $1100 each. [illegible] tions.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS [illegible]
$[illegible]—Santa Fe ave. [illegible]
$[illegible]—Widney st. [illegible]
$[illegible]—Brooklyn ave. [illegible]
$[illegible]—Hough st. [illegible]
$[illegible]—Trinity st. [illegible]
$[illegible]—Seaton st. [illegible]
$1150—Carroll ave. [illegible]
$1250—Cor. Tolerman [illegible]
$1400—Arapahoe st. [illegible] front, 50x150.
$2500—Alvarado st. [illegible] 50x150.

COME AND SEE [illegible] THESE MUST BE [illegible] WRIGHT & CALLENDER [illegible] 323 SOUTH HILL [illegible] WRIGHT & CALLENDER [illegible]

FOR SALE—

WEST ADAMS IS THE [illegible] IDENCE SECTION OF THE [illegible] HAVE 175 FEET OF [illegible] OF ADAMS FACING [illegible] JUST EAST OF [illegible] FOR $50 PER FOOT [illegible] WORTH $60 PER FOOT [illegible] DAYS. INVESTIGATE [illegible]

PRUDENTIAL [illegible]

FOR SALE—

CAN YOU [illegible]

We have a client who [illegible] Chas. Victor Hall tract [illegible] ted us to sell them [illegible] They are east front [illegible] ners, and six of them [illegible] dale ave., corner of [illegible] This is a sure [illegible] maker.

EDWARD D. [illegible] Sole Agents. [illegible] Tel. Main 636.

FOR SALE—$[illegible] $[illegible] BELOW ACTUAL [illegible] ALVARADO STREET [illegible] NEAR PARK [illegible] CHOICEST NEIGHBORHOOD [illegible] LOCATION [illegible] OWNER NON-RESIDENT [illegible] WHAT YOU CALL A [illegible] ACT [illegible] LONG LIST OTHERS [illegible] INTERESTED [illegible] WRIGHT & CALLENDER [illegible] 323 S. HILL ST. Wright [illegible]

FOR SALE—

6¼ acres west [illegible] about 300 feet [illegible] and barn, beautiful [illegible] subdivide to advantage [illegible] beautiful view, [illegible] Apply W. D. WOOLWINE [illegible] National Bank.

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Kinney Heights.

We have the cheapest and best lots in this tract for sale.

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W. G. NEVIN,
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$675—LOT ON E. 7TH ST., [illegible] Alameda and close to the [illegible] lot sold for $120,000. East 7th [illegible] now selling at $100 per foot as [illegible] Central ave. You can't buy [illegible] block for less than $1000.
F. G. CALKINS & CO.,
Main 952. 304 Laughlin Bldg.

[illegible]TENTION INVESTORS—

[illegible] to make money; 40 acres of land [illegible] 1½ miles from Courthouse; [illegible] Elysian Park street railroad runs [illegible] of tract; abundance water [illegible] city water piped on tract; frost[illegible] views; finest soil; 20 50-foot lots [illegible] MRS. E. M. SCOTT, owner, [illegible]ark road. Tel. James 9971.

CORNER LOT ON CENTRAL [illegible] 48th and 49th sts. $700; ½ cash, [illegible] December. [illegible] lot on Dixon ave., near 14th, [illegible] a nice lot on Bonita near [illegible] SMITH, 213 W. 5th st. 20

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[illegible]K NO FURTHER."

[illegible] for purchaser to double his [illegible] fine land inside city limits [illegible] principal street, near car line; [illegible] division; low figure for quick [illegible] T. SMITH, 310 Wilcox Blk. 20

[illegible]WNER GOING EAST; WANTS [illegible] of the finest and most desirable [illegible] lots, 75x118, to an 18-foot alley [illegible] work paid for, cement walks, [illegible] Ornamental trees, fine neigh[illegible] district. Apply to OWN[illegible] Douglas Bldg. 22

[illegible]VENTH NEAR SANTA FE [illegible] a decided bargain; also lot [illegible] st., near 14th, for $575. [illegible]TD, 331 Byrne Bldg., Third and [illegible]

[illegible]AY, MY FRIEND, DO YOU [illegible] have two nice level lots on a [illegible] the cars, and city water, and [illegible] $250 for both lots. E. A. [illegible] S. Broadway.

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[illegible]—EACH 2 LOTS IN PHIL[illegible] Central ave.; nothing else [illegible] for less than $300. W. A. [illegible] Broadway.

[illegible] LOTS, 40x135, FACING 18TH [illegible] Angeleno Vista tract, $1100 takes [illegible] STEWART & CAMP[illegible]

FIRST-CLASS LOTS, $[illegible] [illegible] southwest and Ave. 57. [illegible] 219 S. Broadway, ro[illegible]

[illegible]OUBLE LOT 50x229, street on [illegible] lot in Angeleno Heights; [illegible] V, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

ELEGANT BUILDING LOTS, [illegible] $25 cash, $10 month. [illegible] Wilcox Bldg. Red 1801.

CHEAPEST CLOSE-IN RESI[illegible] liberal terms. See NILES, [illegible] and Maple ave.

[illegible] LOT 55x135, ON W. 28TH [illegible] west of Vermont ave. Owner, [illegible] 246 E. SECOND ST.

[illegible] FINEST LOT ON VALEN[illegible] bargain if sold at once. LAW[illegible] 225½ S. Broadway.

[illegible] CHOICE BUILDING LOTS [illegible] see O. SASSAMAN, corner [illegible] Jefferson.

[illegible] SMALL ACREAGE CLOSE [illegible] SAMAN, corner of Main and [illegible]

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[illegible] walnuts for $15,000. The bare [illegible] the price. Has the best and [illegible] system in Southern Califor[illegible]

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[illegible] near Santa Ana; 1000 bear[illegible] two flowing wells, 11 head of [illegible] implements, wagons, 5-room [illegible] chicken-house; will pay $1600 [illegible] cash.

[illegible]nge, lemon, walnut and al[illegible] proved and unimproved and will [illegible] arrange to show our property

[illegible]ON & DE LA VERGNE,
219 Stowell Bldg.

[illegible] 1621 Acres, all fenced and [illegible] three dwellings, several barns, [illegible] 40-acre vineyard, can be [illegible] 400 acres on the best wine [illegible] as my grapes brought [illegible] ton for wine, the highest [illegible] California. [illegible] grove in full bearing, all kinds [illegible] Cork oak trees that were [illegible] Spain 40 years ago. [illegible] and plenty of it; the health[illegible] the country; large spring that [illegible] house and barns, that will [illegible] matter what ails them. [illegible] beautiful valley of Sono[illegible] hours from San Francisco and [illegible] from depot on two differ[illegible] but four miles from this [illegible] be sold on account of my [illegible] dence solicited. [illegible] LAND & WATER CO., [illegible]erano, Sonoma county, Cal.

[illegible]RE IS YOUR OPPORTU[illegible] authorized to sell one of the [illegible] in Southern California; [illegible] oranges, lemons, grape fruit [illegible] of other fruit for home [illegible] a fine little city one hour [illegible] Angeles; 7-room house, large [illegible] a well of water as you will [illegible] also 20 shares in a first-class [illegible] for irrigating; the citrus [illegible] coming into bearing; about [illegible] trees. The walnuts brought [illegible] good income property; price [illegible] cash, or will exchange for [illegible] you? W. W. LANGDON [illegible] 222 and 223, 218 S. Broad[illegible] 20

[illegible]NCH OF 5 ACRES, WELL [illegible] COVINA; BEST OF SUR[illegible] [illegible]ULAR AND HEALTHY [illegible] WATER. PHOTOS IN OF[illegible] [illegible]. PEARSON & CO. 23

[illegible] beautiful 26-acre orange ranch [illegible] goes with place and will [illegible] price. Absolutely front[illegible] water supply. Has a [illegible] which cost $15,000. Can be [illegible] or private residence. Crop [illegible] cleared $2200, which can [illegible] books of the Exchange. This [illegible] at such a remarkabl low [illegible] STEPHENS INVEST[illegible] Temple st. 20

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[illegible] & DE LA VERGNE, 239 Stowell Bldg.

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[illegible] OF 5 ACRES, WELL [illegible] COVINA; BEST OF SUR-[illegible] REGULAR AND HEALTHY [illegible] WATER. PHOTOS IN OF-[illegible] PEARSON & CO. 28

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ARIZONA.

LEGISLATURE BEGINS WORK.

Important Recommendations by Gov. Brodie.

Territory Should Get Benefit of Fees from Incorporations.

Executive Also Proposes Abolition of Fee Offices—Statehood Resolutions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Arizona's twenty-second Legislature met at noon today, and already is organized, and in full operation, beating the record in this particular. This speed is due to the fact that the Democratic majority managed to agree late last night in caucus on the main offices and appointments. There are only four Republicans in the House and five in the Council.

Eugene S. Ives of Yuma county, president of the last Legislative Council, was inducted into the same position this afternoon. T. T. Powers of Maricopa county was chosen Speaker of the house. The chief clerk of the Council is John C. Evans of Gila county, and in the House, George E. Truman of Pinal county. Curt W. Miller of Maricopa county and R. S. Maclay of Pinal county.

Gov. Alexander O. Brodie in person read his biennial message.

The message was delivered to the Council and House in joint session. Its reading was punctuated with applause, for a number of its paragraphs were found in line with measures that are already in shape for introduction. The document approximated 12,000 words.

The opening paragraphs were congratulatory in tone, briefly reciting the reasons why Arizonans should rejoice in the material and manifest development of their Territory; in the good order that has prevailed, and in the public spirit and patriotism that animates the citizens. An encouraging feature was found also in the fact that the financial standing of the Territory in the money markets is above reproach.

The most important feature of the message was reached early. It concerned the application of the fees now collected in the office of the Secretary of the Territory, a place popularly understood to net its holder something above $30,000 a year. The incorporation laws of the Territory are of the most liberal character. All fees go to the Secretary, who, also, acts as agent for hundreds of the companies organized; and also is Insurance Commissioner. Concerning this the Governor says, in part:

"I desire to call the attention of the Legislature to the fact that our liberal incorporation laws have been the means of bringing about the organization in our Territory of a large number of corporations during the past several years. At least one of the States of the Union which has not as liberal laws as our own in respect to the organization of corporations is deriving sufficient revenue from fees collected from corporations organized within its jurisdiction to cover, or nearly so, the expense of the State government; therefore, there is no reason why, with a just and fair fee charged by our Territory to the corporations taking advantage of our laws and organizing in Arizona, sufficient revenue should not be derived by the Territory to assist in defraying its current expenses. I earnestly recommend that the Legislature enact a law that will require all corporations organizing under our laws to file their articles of incorporation with the Territorial Auditor before they are permitted to do business, and that the Auditor shall have the same recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Territory; and that a reasonable fee for filing such articles with the Auditor shall be established, and, in addition thereto, the amount necessary to cover the cost of recording such articles."

Further recommendation was made that the Auditor be made the Territorial agent of all foreign corporations, and that all moneys received by the Auditor for filing fees or for agent's fees shall be turned into the Territorial treasury. It is advised, also, that the Auditor shall act as insurance commissioner, in place of the Secretary, and that all fees received from insurance companies go to the treasury, and not to the individual. The Governor modestly explained that his method for deriving a territorial income through tax on outside corporations is not suggested as the most correct or the only one, but asked that some means be devised that benefit be derived by the Territory from this source.

The Governor declared the time ripe for a reduction in the rate of taxation, to be attained by a fairer distribution of the assessment. He believes that the owners of producing mines within the Territory will willingly pay a tax on the output of their mines, such tax to be so adjusted as not to be a detriment to the development of new mines. Such a tax would add materially to the revenues, would greatly reduce the rate of taxation, and would much better please taxpayers engaged in other vocations than mining.

The fattest office in each of the counties is that of Sheriff. The Governor recommended that sheriffs be placed on salary and their fees turned in. He believes also that the office of County Assessor should be an elective one, that Supervisors of counties should be elected by districts, and that a primary election law should be enacted. A change in the judicial districts was asked; that Cochise, Graham and Gila counties be made into one district, and Pima, Santa Cruz and Pinal into another.

The Governor is a pronounced advocate of the national irrigation propaganda, but simply referred to the more elaborate presentation of his views in his late report to the Secretary of the Interior.

A notable paragraph was one wherein the Governor stated that he had taken no part of the $1500 appropriated by the last Legislature to the Governor, to be paid him without voucher, ostensibly for expense of the office, but really intended as an addition by the Territory to the all too meager salary allowed the Governor by the national government. Gov. Brodie stated that he "is a firm believer in the rule that appropriations should be made for specific purposes."

Brief commendation was given the work of different Territorial officials and their management of Territorial institutions. Concerning the prison, the Governor said: "The support of the penitentiary is a heavy burden on the taxpayers of the Territory, and I can see no way in which it can be made self-supporting." He advised that thirty convicts under legal age now held at Yuma, and twenty-three short-term prisoners be transferred to the new reform school at Benson.

The Governor, a soldier himself, urged that measures be taken that will enable the reaching of efficiency in the National Guard of the Territory or the disbandment of the force. It is suggested also that the rank of the adjutant-general be reduced from brigadier-general to colonel, as being a rank more proportionate to the strength of the guard in the Territory. The work of the company of Arizona Rangers is commended.

The schools of the Territory are considered in excellent condition, deficient mainly in the number of high schools. Statehood was incidentally mentioned as a desire that should be granted. Reference was made to the existence of the bubonic plague in Mexico and the necessity of the strictest quarantine regulations.

A list of seventeen reports was submitted with the message, which closed with a few words of assurance of good will.

The Council started business at once by the passage of three resolutions on Statehood, all to be transmitted by wire. One was to the Senate of the United States, urging the passage of the omnibus Statehood measure; another was to Senator Quay, extending him the thanks of the Legislature for his attitude on Statehood and his efforts; the third to the California Legislature, asking the passage of a memorial to Congress in favor of Statehood for Arizona. These measures go to the House in the morning.

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REDLANDS.

FOOT CRUSHED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

REDLANDS, Jan. 19.—Last night a hobo named Paul Field sustained a crushed foot, while stealing a ride on a freight near the Redlands Junction. He says he has relatives in South Carolina. He was taken to the hospital in San Bernardino for amputation of the injured member.

NEW BAKERSFIELD CHURCH.

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 19.—A new $20,000 church will be built in this city by the Methodist Episcopal Church. Eleven thousand dollars has been raised by subscription already, and several large sums have been promised additional by other parties. Work is to begin at once.

The Druggist's Profits.

"Here, son, fill this prescription," said a deaf man as he walked up to the counter in a drug store on the principal street in town.

"All right, sir," replied the obliging clerk.

Prescription filled, the clerk made a neat parcel of it, and, handing it to the customer, said:

"Seventy-five cents, please."

"How's that?" asked the deaf man.

"Seventy-five cents," politely responded the clerk.

Thrusting his right hand down into his trousers' pocket, he drew forth a nickel and passed it to the clerk.

"I said 75 cents," remarked the clerk.

"Well, didn't I give it to you?" innocently responded the customer.

"This is not enough; your bill is 75 cents," was the clerk's answer.

"Did I give you more than 5 cents?" queried the aged man.

"No; you did not; I want 75 cents," was the clerk's reply.

"There's your 5 cents. What's the matter with you?" indignantly answered the customer.

"Oh, go to the dickens. I made 2 cents on you, anyhow," angrily retorted the drug clerk.—[Philadelphia Ledger.

The Proof of Success.

"How does he rank as a playwright?"

"Well, you can't say that he has really acquired fame yet."

"But he's on the road to it?"

"Oh, yes. He'll reach a point where he can afford to plagiarize shortly."—[Chicago Post.

AT THE DEBUTANTE'S BA[LL.]

Mrs. Waum Ayer: Your daughter, sir, is a p[...]

Mr. Billions: You're dead wrong. She accepted [...] afternoon.

NO PAL[...] OF [...]

Cost of New [...] Scaled [...]

Mooser's Extra[...] Abo[...]

Supervisors Going [...] mer Action [...]

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[OP]EN DOORS HIS POLICY

[Gov.] Pardee Always Ready [to] See the People.

[Fla]shing Difference in Capit[al] at State's Capital.

[I]deas of Gage Pointed Ou[t] With Gage Sitting by—Tame Session.

[...]

NO PALACE OF ...

Cost of New ... Scaled Down.

Mooser's Extravagance Abandoned.

Supervisors Going to ... mer Action—Injunction Dismissed.

The erection of new ... buildings at an early ... the ramshackle structures ... house the county's ... now seem to be assured ... will be no marble palace ... place of the old frame ...

The new Board of ... disposed to provide a new ... soon as practicable, but ... ided to rescind the ... adopted by the "Solid ... old board.

The suit instituted ... by O. T. Johnson and ... to enjoin the Supervisors ... ing a new hospital on ... plans submitted by ... was yesterday dismissed ... by consent of parties ... understanding that the ... would take steps to ... pitch the erection of ... at a cost more nearly ... with the county's ...

As a result of the ... William Mooser, the ... have to go into the ... for the hospital ... "Solid Three" tried to ...

Supervisor Graham to ... ing introduce a ... to have Mooser cut to ... resolution will propose ... rescind the adoption of ... plans, on the ground ... never presented proper ...

The Graham ... was during ... when he was ... a rather seldom get beyond ... ices and usually had to ... hour or more waiting until ... "lightner" to give his ... can come down to address ... out some of the members ...

"MORE THAN THOU."

The door is open, the ... the door to ... office of the Governor is ... If you have any business ... Governor you must consent ... within the view of ... waiting their turn ... The open-house policy ... Governor Pardee has inaugurated ... does not quickly ... It is not intended for ... taking care of the ... but are daily ...

"The principal ... adopted by the ... there," said Dr. Wi... pretty extensive ... been present ... ceived in the ... to meet and to which ... could be called. In the ... in the hotels, ... have been remarked by ... and the fact that ... governor now, and ... are provided as comfortably ... the patients.

"What we need ... all in a ward for ... consideration. ... suggested in the ... the session of ... that it is his ... and ably serve ... will not be ... by ring or gang, but ... the duties of his office ... which, in his opinion, ... the greatest good for ... to a test at present ... no room to ...

TO THE POINT.

... gone courage on his ... out in his inaugural ... mistake of Gage with ... the finances of the ... was seated within two ... when he told the people ... instead of being ben... Gage's action in ... ordering the tax rate ... the county's ... finest patients."

Gift to ...

President Roosevelt ... remarkably carved ... The donor, James ... says he is an ex-... the President "some ... how we to present ... New Year's gift. ...

The old negro ... knife, with which he ... There are 365 ... Twelve are of ... markably good ... Presidents, Washington ... Mrs. McKinley, and ...

NATURE THE SAME.

... sions of the Legisla... little different from the ... perhaps in the number of ... to be introduced. There ... some scandalous patron... waste of time at ... session; the same ... the work at the ... the members know ... up for it toward the ... The bills which ... covered the same ... There are good bills, ... bills, foolish bills and ... worth the expense of ... the present time the ... is there that it has ... There will be noth... consideration of the Paris ... session; ... is no present indication ... proceeding, but ... of time for that.

... OF KILLING.

... most important matter ... now was the virtual kill... Irrigation Bill in the ... manner possible, viz. the ... of a committee, which ... to it that if the bill ... it its sting will be ... reason to believe ... Gov. Anderson ... control of the Com... the members from ... thereby insuring the ... of that infamous ... measure and was taken ... cruelly studied the situ... Lieutenant-Governor ... private con... subject of his com...

... of Southern California ... irrigation than do ... section of the ... look it for granted ... what they desire and ... of Southern mem... I think it was ... I do not re... whatever the ef... any prospective bill."

... have to champion ... have not given up the ... since now that their ... are not what they ... to Senate Committee on ... them a handicap ... to be overcome.

...LESS CHARTER.

... any attempt to ... the crooked work, with ... falsification of ... to the people of ... Los ... years the blame at ... members, and

"Out of Sorts."

Nothing tastes good. Nothing gives pleasure. The mind is dull and sluggish. The will is weak. Little things cause great irritation. What's the matter? The probabilities are that the stomach is deranged and the liver involved.

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just who is to be blamed will be made known in due season. It is not yet time to mention names in this connection, but there has been a marked apathy among some of the Los Angeles members on the subject of those charter amendments. That some of them have been "seen" by those who are opposing the ratification of the amendments is positively known, but what the effect will be will develop within a week. It is not to be understood that there has been any evidence that dishonest methods have been resorted to, but it is surprising that before the committees were named the various Los Angeles members asserted that they were anxious to have the amendments ratified, and when the committees were announced they took the other tack, and with much shaking of heads declared that the matter was too important to be rushed through. This does not apply to all the members from Los Angeles, but if the will of the people as expressed when they adopted those amendments is defeated, it can and will be traced to one or two members. They know this and they are between the ire of political tricksters on one side, and the indignation of the people at home on the other. It is probable that the amendments will be ratified, but there may be delay.

Couldn't Fool the Ant Twice.

An interesting demonstration of the intelligence of the ant was made by a student in the biological department of the University of Pennsylvania last week. The young man constructed a roadway, two feet in length, of metal, and divided this into two parallel paths, separated by a high partition. One of the paths he painted red and the other blue, and at their end, in plain view, he put a morsel of rich cake. Then he set an ant at the beginning of the roadway. The ant at once made for the cake over the red path, whereupon the student turned on a lamp under his mechanism and heated the path to an uncomfortable degree. The ant kept on, and finally secured the cake, but on its return it must have told itself that it had had a mighty uncomfortable journey. Several hours later the student brought it out again, another morsel of cake being set at the end of the roadway. The ant thought a moment, and then started for the cake over the blue path. It remembered that the red one had been hot. To prove still more conclusively that it remembered, the student next blocked up the blue path, whereupon the ant did without the cake rather than venture after it by the red one.—[Philadelphia Record.

Trundle Beds out of Date.

"There are no trundle beds on the market nowadays," said a furniture store salesman. "They are not manufactured. It has been fifteen years since we carried them in stock, and the chances are that they will never be in vogue again. Science is against them, for one thing. Doctors and nurses have agreed that as a promoter of colds the trundle bed has no equal. For hygienic reasons trundle beds have been superseded by cribs and infants' beds of a dignified height. Fashion has also had something to do with the change. Regular beds are now built so low that it would be next to impossible to slip the trundle bed under them. Perhaps there may be a few out in the country districts that have not been seized by curio collectors or split into kindling wood, but you cannot find one in a New York furniture store."—[New York Times.

She Might Resign.

"Helen hung up the mistletoe and George declared he would kiss the first woman that passed under it."

"Yes."

"And the first woman that passed under it was the colored cook."

"Did George kiss her?"

"Kiss her! I guess not. Nobody dares to take any liberties with the cook."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Contracted Diseases

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PILES—I cure without any operation whatever. They are a condition which may be treated unsuccessfully for years. I cure by direct contact and by restoring tone to the hemorrhoidal veins. The cure is absolute and no return will occur.

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To all who have treated for this condition and failed to obtain satisfactory results, I wish to say I offer an absolute cure in 4 to 6 days, devoid of any painful, harsh measures. The cure I offer is especially thorough and permanent. There are no evil after effects to undermine the health and power. My treatment shows an improvement from the first application. All pain ceases, soreness subsides and a normal physiological condition is brought about without surgery, caustic or pain. The circulation is complete with increased strength and renewed vitality. In the cure of varicocele I offer a service superior to any you have ever had—an absolute and permanent cure.

Contagious Blood Diseases

May be inherited or contracted. When once the system becomes tainted with the poison it may manifest itself in many ways—ulcers, sores, scrofula, eczema, stiff and painful joints, eruption, copper colored spots on the body, little ulcers in the mouth, swollen and inflamed tonsils, loss of hair, decay of flesh and bone. If your symptoms are any of these I invite you to take advantage of the treatment I offer, which will completely eradicate the last taint of poison from the system. You are cordially invited to consult me in person and I will give you such advice as will be for the betterment of your condition. My treatment has been acquired through twenty years' arduous work and is free from mineral poison. It contains no injurious drugs and goes to the very core of the disease.

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Weakness.

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My treatment is not only absolutely sure but is painless for I never resort to the harsh treatments so many physicians employ.

Contracted Diseases.

FULLY one-fourth the cases of organic weakness with which I come in contact are a direct result of the improper treatment of some contracted disease. This should be sufficient warning against patent nostrums and other uncertain methods. I never dismiss a patient until I know that every possibility of relapse or evil result has been removed.

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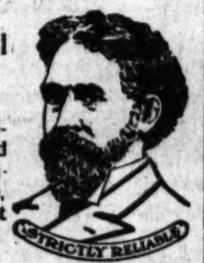

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The Truth About Varicocele.

The treatment of Varicocele has called forth the ingenuity of surgeons in many ways, and it must be confessed that any and all methods other than operations are absolutely worthless, painful, illogical and dangerous, notwithstanding al statements to the contrary. Much has been hoped for through electricity, injection and ligatures, but we do not know of a single instance in which a cure has been effected by these means, and patients who have subjected themselves to such methods cannot fail to have been disappointed. The operation, on the contrary, is trivial, simple, absolutely unattended with danger and uniformly successful. After a very long experience and thorough trial of all unsurgical procedures that have ever been recommended, we have discarded them and now operate in every single instance. We always guarantee an absolute and perfect cure in any case of Varicocele we treat, and are anxious to prove this fact by referring to dozens of cases we have cured right here in Los Angeles.

Contagious Blood Poison.

Every intelligent man knows something of the nature of contracted blood poison. He should know also that experience and first-class diplomas are essential requirements to the doctor who succeeds in curing this grave condition of the blood which invades every tissue in the body. The man who has been so unfortunate as to contract this disease should realize the importance of correct treatment. Swill and knowledge must rule or the patient will sooner or later find himself in a most extremely undesirable condition. It is this condition, which resulting from bad treatment, gives the disease the reputation of "incurable." Every case of specific blood poison treated in our office is cured and by cured we mean that every vestige of the disease is forever gone.

Stricture.

A MILLION MEN have suffered and failed to get permanent cure. I have devoted years of the hardest kind of work on the formation and complete eradication of urethral obstruction. Experience of the right kind is absolutely necessary to restore health to a diseased membrane. Surgery is not necessary in the cure of stricture. During 20 years I have acquired a vast experience in genito-urinary work, which enables me to speak definitely on this point. My treatment softens and relaxes the hardened muscular fibers and the formation is completely destroyed. All pain and soreness is quickly subdued with a complete and permanent cure. Usually ten to fifteen days is sufficient for the most aggravated case.

"Weakness."

Affections of men commonly described as "weakness," according to our observations, are not such, but depend upon reflex disturbances, and are almost invariably induced or maintained by appreciable damage to the Prostate Gland. Under our special plan of treatment, directed toward reducing the enlarged and swollen prostate, immediate results, as indicated by increased circulation and renewed strength, are observed. Our colored chart, which we send free on application, is interesting to any one wishing to study the anatomy of the male.

Reflex Diseases.

Many ailments are reflex, originating from other diseases.

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Backache, lame back and urinary troubles. But there's a cure.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Fire from Upset Lamp.

Fire caused by an overturned lamp broke out in the house occupied by Miss J. M. Davisson, No. 223 North Hill street, yesterday evening. The damage to the building was $10 and to the contents $50.

Struck by Car.

C. H. Mays, who lives at No. 217 S. Olive street, was struck by a car on West Fourth street yesterday afternoon. His left shoulder was dislocated and his right ankle sprained. He received treatment at the Receiving Hospital.

Presbyterian Reception.

A reception will be tendered to the membership of Immanuel Presbyterian Church tonight, in the new Sunday-school room, by the ladies of the church. It will be in honor of Mrs. M. J. Rankin, who has shown marked benevolence toward the church.

Caught Under Car.

While attempting to board a gravity car at Bright & Trandall's grading camp, west of the city limits, yesterday forenoon, Charles James, a laborer, was thrown under the wheels and his right leg was badly lacerated. He was removed to the Receiving Hospital.

Famous Mission Worker.

Mrs. Whittemore, who has been making numerous addresses throughout the city, will again talk at the Pacific Gospel Mission tonight. She is founder of the Door of Hope in New York, and has made herself famous for her work among fallen women.

Commissioner Drake Ill.

Owing to the illness of Water Commissioner Drake, and the fact that several other of the members were absent from the city yesterday, no meeting of the Water Board was held. A special meeting will be held within a day or two, upon call of the president, to clear up the business.

Wheel Was Another's.

Will Stewart, arrested by detectives on Friday, with a wheel in his possession that didn't look as though it belonged to him, was booked yesterday at the Police Station on a charge of grand larceny, as the owner of the bicycle, Harry Herbert of Hollywood, identified it as his. When arrested, Stewart was trying to dispose of the wheel at a second-hand store.

State Board of Health.

Dr. R. W. Hill of the State Board of Health disputes the assertion of Dr. E. N. Mathis of the County Board of Health to the effect that the State board declined to assist in the establishing of detention camps for tramps. Dr. Mathis says the State board never answered a letter requesting co-operation, but Dr. Hill declares that Dr. Mathis misrepresents the State board. When doctors differ, who shall agree?

Murphy to the Men.

Francis Murphy, the gospel temperance hero, is doing much good among the men of the city by his noonday meetings. The men not only gladly hear this man of national reputation, but the managers of the manufacturing establishments offer him every encouragement and advantage, that the employes may have the pleasure. Today at 12:30 o'clock he will address the the men at the Baker Iron Works, the management agreeing to lengthen the noon rest for his accommodation if necessary. He will conduct a prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Wood, Temple and Olive streets, on Thursday evening.

BREVITIES.

Auction hours today of the stock of the Lichtenberger Art Co. are from 10 to 12 and 2 to 4:30. Many fine and rare pictures will be put on sale today, subjects that have just been framed. There are etchings and engravings, water colors, oil paintings and imported carbons and photographs. An exceptional chance to buy a fine picture for little money. No. 430 South Spring street, two doors south of Barker Bros.' furniture store.

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Dr. J. A. Munk returned to his old office, Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, No. 228 South Spring street, for Gladys Vorehees, Mrs. A. H. Bergers and Mrs. Bells.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for James E. Wadham, Miss May Haynes, John L. Porter, John H. Green, Ed. Mendenhall, Simon S. Appel, B. F. Cowles, Percival E. Peterson, Lee Coombs, Esq., W. A. Hurry, Dr. Charles J. Butler, Miss Brubaker, George Gimvits, Mrs. Mary E. Bunker, Harry B. Woodard, V. W. Brookins, Miss Fertilia Eisenmeyer, Mrs. May Carson, O. K. Wood, C. C. Condon, John Andrews, Mary M. Ainsworth, Mrs. Carrie L. Jordan, A. G. Strain, Mrs. Hite Wickhiser, Mrs. Arthur T. Sargent.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Eugene Cowles.

Rondo, "Sonata No. 1," violin and piano, (Beethoven,) Miss Farrington and Mr. Pyck; "Waltz Song" (Paria) (Arditi,) Miss Blamere; "The Horn" (Flegier,) Mr. Cowles; "Polonaise" (Chopin,) Mr. Pyck; ensemble, "Il Trovatore" (Verdi,) Mr. Cowles, Miss Blamere, Miss Farrington and Mr. Pyck; fantasia, "La Cascade" (Pauer,) Mr. Pyck; (a) "Crossing the Bar," (b) "Forgotten" (Eugene Cowles,) Mr. Cowles; (a) "A Violet" (Mildenberg,) (b) "Husheen" (Needham,) Miss Blamere; polonaise, "Brilliante" (Wieniawski,) Miss Farrington; "Noontide Heat Has Just Passed Over" (Goring Thomas,) Mr. Cowles and Miss Blamere.

Such was the programme rendered last evening at Simpson Auditorium by Eugene Cowles and his company. It was popular and popularly received, triple encores being the rule of the evening. From a serious standpoint the nature of the music rendered was disappointing. Mr. Cowles is in splendid voice this season, and sings with an ease, an entire lack of effort, and a melodious evenness delightful to the ear. The quality of his voice is uniform and perfect throughout its whole range, the low tones especially ring out with a gladdening resonance. The Horn was his only number which gave him a good opportunity—with the exception of "The Armorer's Song" from "Robin Hood," which he contributed as an encore. The two songs, "Crossing the Bar" and "Forgotten," composed by Mr. Cowles, are not successful efforts. The latter is the better of the two. The setting of Tennyson's beautiful lines is trite and commonplace, showing neither spiritual nor artistic understanding of the text. Mr. Cowles has chosen a good concert company. His clever associates do much toward making the Cowles recitals a success. Miss Blamere has a light, birdlike soprano, which she uses with exquisite sentiment and dainty charm. The "Husheen" and her encore, "Violets" (Ellen Wright) were particularly well sung. Her phrasing in "A Violet" and "Paria" could be bettered. Miss Farrington, violinist, did earnest, conscientious work in the sonata, and rendered her first encore number with good technique and a graceful individuality. The Wieniawski was not so happy, especially toward its close.

Mr. Pyck played his solos with temperament and careful technique, but his accompaniments to Mr. Cowles's numbers were far too loud, at times the voice being almost completely drowned.

The Verdi arrangement by the full company was so warmly received that it had to be repeated.

On Friday evening the Cowles company will give a costumed recital, when the popular basso will be heard in what is really his element—operatic selections. There should be a packed house to hear that huge voice roll out its liquid golden stream of melody. The concert will be at Simpson Auditorium under the management of Blanchard and Venter, who have Mr. Cowles's business for the Pacific Coast.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Frank Gray, aged 69, a native of New York, and Louise Selfridge, aged 47, a native of Maine; both residents of Long Beach.

William R. Badgley, aged 25, a native of Wisconsin, and Alice May Fowler, aged 26, a native of Texas; both residents of Los Angeles.

Curt O. Dietsch, aged 36, a native of Germany and a resident of Los Angeles, and Margaret Hagen, aged 28, a native of Germany, and a resident of Nordhausen, Germany.

Fred J. Hale, aged 28, a native of Indiana and a resident of Los Angeles, and Viola Popejoy, aged 20, a native of Los Angeles and a resident of Colorado Springs.

Robert William Hill, aged 21, a native of California, and Hazel L. Hill, aged 17, a native of California; both residents of Anaheim.

Noah St. John, aged 59, a native of Michigan and a resident of Soldiers' Home, and Anna Lydia St. Clair, aged 27, a native of California and a resident of Sawtelle.

Clarence L. Andrews, aged 24, a native of Connecticut, and Emma Phelps, aged 22, a native of Missouri; both residents of Riverside.

William L. Cottmire, aged 26, a native of Nebraska, and a resident of San Luis Obispo, and Cora Rowen, aged 19, a native of California and a resident of Salinas.

DEATH RECORD.

REDLINE—In this city, Jan. 19, 1903, Frank Arthur Redline, aged 23 years. Funeral from residence, 321 Latrobe st., Jan. 21, 11 o'clock a.m. Interment Rosedale.

BROWN—In this city, Jan. 19, 1903, Maj. John A. Brown, beloved husband of Martha J. Brown, a native of New York, aged 61 years. Funeral from chapel of Orr & Hines Co., 647 S. Broadway, Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1903, at 10 o'clock a.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

DUSSOL—In this city, Jan. 15, 1903, Gustave Dussol, a native of France, aged 75 years. Funeral from late residence, 645 W. Jefferson st., Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1903, at 8:30 a.m. Thence to St. Vincent's Church corner Washington and Grand ave., where high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock a.m. Friends invited. Interment New Calvary Cemetery.

PETERS—At the home of her daughter, 327 North Hill street, Mrs. Jane Peters, mother of Robert Peters, a native of Canada, aged 82 years. Funeral from chapel of Orr & Hines Co., 647 S. Broadway, Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1903, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

CAFFREY—Monday, J a.m., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Scott Nelson, 257 Central ave., beloved wife of James Caffrey, aged 84. Funeral from house today 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen.

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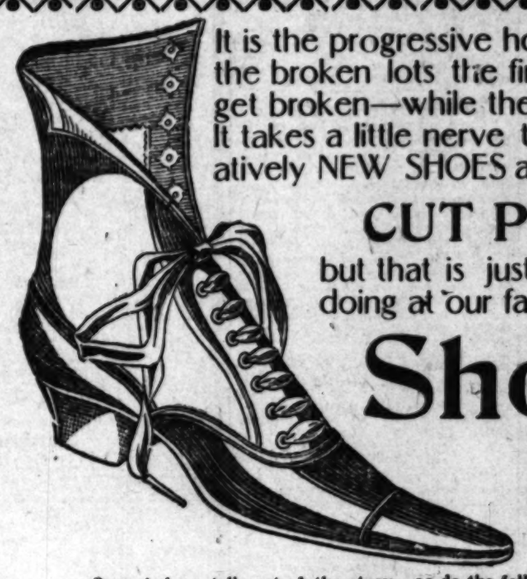
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NILES PEASE ON BOYCOTTS.

Solid Shot from President of M. and M. Association.

Los Angeles Merchants Arrayed Against Trouble Makers.

Annual Meeting of Association Brings Out Story of Good Work Well Done.

The annual meeting of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association was held yesterday in the rooms of the association in the Wilcox building, to elect seven new directors for the present year, and hear the reports of the officers for the one past. The event passed off without particular incident, aside from the firm stand taken against labor agitators, boycotters and trouble-makers generally, in the annual report of President Niles Pease.

This report treats in a general way of the good work done by the association during the past year, and shows that it is in a prosperous condition. The statement of the treasurer proves this, for, after having expended over $3900, the association has $877.24 on hand.

Balloting for the election of seven directors, was held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and there being but one ticket, it went through without opposition, as follows: A. K. Brauer, L. J. Christopher, H. W. Frank, Reese Llewellyn, W. T. McFie, George Montgomery and C. M. Staub. These, with the eight directors holding over, will constitute the board for the present year.

The annual meeting was held in the evening. A fair-sized crowd of members was present, and President Niles Pease presided. Without loss of time, the reports of the president, secretary and treasurer were read and filed. The report of President Niles Pease was, in substance, as follows:

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The year just closed will pass into history as one of unprecedented prosperity with which our city has been blessed. Commercial conditions have been greatly improved, and have reached a point that leaves little to complain of; our manufacturing establishments have been taxed to their utmost; building conditions have been unparalleled by any city in the United States, and the mechanics and artisans have reaped a veritable harvest resulting from these magnificent conditions.

Looking into the future we can discern no reason why the present state of prosperity should not continue, inasmuch as the activity in all channels is not due to any artificial cause, but is the result of a steady, healthy growth.

As president of this association, it is my duty to acquaint you with the work done by this association through the board of directors, and to point out what, in our opinion, is necessary to further accomplish the ends for which this organization was called into existence, and the policy which has been pursued during the past twelve months.

By far the most important and difficult problem that has presented itself to the board of directors and to the members, was the unfortunate controversy forced upon the merchants by a few labor agitators. In the latter part of 1901 the International Typographical Union sent to this city a special representative for the purpose of adjusting certain grievances claimed to exist between the Los Angeles Times and the local Typographical Union. After his arrival upon the scene this special representative issued a circular letter to the merchants, who advertised in the Los Angeles Times, and subsequently made a personal appeal to them, urging them to withdraw their advertising patronage from said paper under penalty of being considered unfriendly to the cause of labor, and threatening the merchants who so refused to comply, with a boycott. A meeting of the merchants was held on November 20, 1901, at which a resolution was passed, stating that, inasmuch as the merchants had no grievance against The Times, nor the labor organizations or the cause of labor, it was deemed to the best interests of this entire community that we remain neutral in the controversy.

This resolution was communicated to the County Council of Labor, but the agitators seemed determined to force upon the merchants an issue in which they were not involved. During the year we have held several meetings, and the matter has been thoroughly considered by the board of directors and at general meetings, but the special representative of the Typographical Union and a few local agitators persist in annoying the merchants and attempting to make us a party to the alleged controversy between The Times and the labor organizations. We have repeatedly stated that we desire the friendship of the laboring classes of this community, and have always shown ourselves in sympathy with labor as long as we were allowed to manage our business according to our own dictates. We have openly declared that we are not making a fight for The Times in this matter, and that no direct issue exists between the merchants and the labor organizations, and, therefore, prefer to maintain an attitude of strict neutrality.

Notwithstanding the assurances that no action had been taken by this association or its individual members to injure the cause of labor, the labor unions, at the instigation of these agitators, passed resolutions denouncing the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association and its members, for an alleged action that had never been taken, and after these denunciatory resolutions had been adopted, their official organ, the Union Labor News, was forced to acknowledge in a subsequent issue that the action taken by the unions was without any foundation of fact and entirely unwarranted.

As a result of all this agitation the labor unions have declared a boycott against one of our merchants, who is in no way responsible for the conditions as they exist, and not more guilty than any of the other merchants who persist in selecting their advertising mediums. This firm has been maligned, vilified and caricatured in the official organ until it was decided by the merchants who advertised in that paper that to further patronize it would mean an indorsement of the course pursued by a few labor agitators having this matter in charge. Consequently it was decided to withdraw the advertising patronage from that official organ and with few exceptions, the reputable business men of this city have shown their displeasure by refusing to further give it their moral and financial support.

We regret that these conditions exist today, but we believe that it is the duty of the merchants to stand together in a controversy of this character, and to declare that an assault upon one is an assault upon all. The boycott is un-American, unjust, unwarranted and illegal, and we are still more forcibly reminded of this fact when the firm or firms so boycotted are in no manner a party to the controversy existing between the labor organizations and a newspaper. We have acted in this matter in a spirit unbiased, unprejudiced and totally fair to all concerned.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Concerning local matters, the report states that after much effort the City Council was induced to provide for the burning of all garbage, but many complaints are received that this contract is not fully carried out, it being regretted that the proper officials are not more careful to protect the public interests in this important matter.

On the question of street sprinkling and sweeping, the report states that the streets are a disgrace to the city, and a steady menace to the health of the people, the system and the implements used both being antiquated. The association offered to demonstrate for thirty days that the streets could be properly cleaned for the price now paid, but was unofficially requested to allow the new Street Superintendent to show what he could do. Political influence often had too much to do with awarding such contracts and guiding their execution, and the new directors were urged to give this subject earnest attention this year, the recommendation being made that a special committee be appointed to look after this matter.

On the question of a probable deficit in the city funds at the end of the fiscal year, and the special license tax proposed to meet this, the report was outspoken in favor of a general tax on property and not a special tax. The latter was thought to be illegal, and it was said the association would test in the courts the validity of such a special tax.

Brief reference was made to the work of the association concerning the sewering of Los Angeles street, from Second to Seventh streets; the coming fiesta; delayed shipments on the railroads; advertising frauds; the early closing movement, and other minor matters.

The report of Secretary Zeehandelaar was very brief, reference being made to the prosperous condition of the association, and the value of its work to the merchants and the city.

Treasurer Frank's report, in brief, was as follows:

Balance on hand, January 20, 1902, $746.15; received from the secretary, $4076; total, $4822.15; paid out on vouchers, $2944.91; balance on hand January 19, 1903, $877.24.

Following the reading of the reports, there was general discussion on the subjects embraced therein, remarks being made by C. M. Staub, J. R. Newberry, H. W. Frank, Moses Hamburger, Niles Pease, A. K. Brauer and L. J. Christopher, the majority of the speakers dwelling with considerable emphasis on the condition of the streets. A communication from the manager of the Sunset Telephone Company, asking the association to send a committee to investigate the workings of the new switchboard to be put in the company's office, and the service it would perform, met with indifference, the consensus of opinion being that an examination of the switchboard would not be as satisfactory as the improved service the merchants had waited two years for.

After the meeting refreshments were served in an adjoining room.

The directors will meet this week to elect officers for the new year.

MAKING TOPERS SWEAR OFF.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Seldom has legislation met more immediate success than the new licensing act, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. For once the law would seem to have got even with the great army of the operators. Touched in their tenderest spot, these interesting individuals are forswearing drink, which an alacrity which seems to show conclusively that there is, after all, some virtue in what was once contemptuously called by a great stateman, "grandmotherly legislation."

IT WOULD JUST SUIT TEDDY.

And we earnestly suggest that the invitation be extended.

NEW MEXICO LEGISLATURE.

SANTA FE (N. M.) Jan. 19.—The thirty-fifth legislative Assembly of New Mexico convened today at noon. Col. J. Francisco Chaves was elected president of the Council, and Nestor Montoya, Speaker of the House. For the first time in the history of New Mexico, every member of the Council speaks English fluently.

City's Great High-gravity Reservoir Will Soon Be Completed.

The new high-gravity reservoir of the Domestic Waterworks system, under the direction of Superintendent Mulholland, is fast approaching completion.

This morning the cement work will be commenced on the water tower at the forebay of the new reservoir, and the scrapers will have finished their work by the end of this week. There remains to be built but three feet of the dam, and the cement coping, six feet in width, will also be commenced within a few days, and Mr. Mulholland says that the water will be turned in within three weeks.

This reservoir is situated in Elysian Park, about 400 yards west of the present reservoir, at the head of the cañon, and just east of the driveway leading through the park to the bluff overlooking the river.

This work has been going on for three months, and about 22,000 yards of earth and rock have been moved, most of which has been utilized in the building of the new dam.

The new reservoir is twenty-eight feet deep, and on the south side, as shown in the picture, is cut through a body of sandstone running from the crest to the bottom of the excavation, and a portion of it is flanked by an immense body of shale, 100 feet thick. Every condition is favorable to making it one of the most perfect water-preservers of the system.

From a scenic point of view, it will add immeasurably to the attractiveness of Elysian Park, to say nothing of its addition to the water resources of the city. It lies at an elevation of about 429 feet, in Buena Vista Cañon, already a most attractive spot in the city's greatest park.

As a portion of the vast system of water development now being prosecuted in the city, it is a most important feature, and goes a long ways toward making the supply secure, under the most exacting demands, by reason of drought or rapidly-increasing population.

It is worth while, in this connection to take a look at the annual report of Superintendent Mulholland in which he says:

"The enormous volumes of water that have been drawn from the ground in the past few years, by pumping plants, in the agricultural sections of Southern California, to supplement the failing water supply, have already had the effect of lowering the plane of saturation to an alarming extent in many places, which is proof conclusive that this kind of development may be carried to such excess as to outstrip nature's efforts to restore it. The result is being closely watched by engineers of the United Stated Geological Bureau.

The superintendent is therefore warm in his advocacy of securing all the water possible by creating great storage centers in the natural watersheds of the surrounding territory.

"It will be readily conceded," says Mr. Mulholland, that in her beautiful parks, Los Angeles has an asset of great value, and as these require large quantities of water for their maintenance, which must be drawn from a common source, it is plain that if we are enabled to supply them from water stored in winter, when there is abundance, the supply left for domestic use will be increased by that much.

"It may be urged, that in the event of a wet winter, the river will supply all the water needed by the city for all purposes, but it is a well-known fact that the river makes no sudden response to a single year of abundant rainfall. In any event, there is safety in developing our water sources to the very utmost limit, and the construction, at as early a date as possible, of this reservoir is urgently recommended."

The superintendent here refers to a very desirable reservoir site near the city, which, he says, the owner has evinced a disposition to sell for the purpose.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE COURTS AND OFFICES.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Street Superintendent Werdin yesterday filed with the Council a comprehensive report on street sweeping recommending that action be taken at once to improve the service.

Despite strong arguments the Council stood pat yesterday on the poolroom ordinance and refused to allow the fall race meet to be held.

A franchise application for a third rail was filed by the Pacific Electric Company yesterday, covering First and Main streets, together with strong favorable petitions.

The official Council proceedings, published by authority, will be found elsewhere on this page.

W. B. Morgan was appointed game warden by the Board of Supervisors yesterday.

Joseph Moffitt has been sued for $25,000, on account of a frisky horse, which is alleged to have hurt a child who was holding it.

AT THE CITY HALL.

STREET SWEEPING COMES BEFORE CITY FATHERS.

SUPERINTENDENT WERDIN FILES STRONG REPORT.

Recommends That the Council Discount the Bills of the Street-sweeping Contractors and Take Some Summary Action to Insure an Improved Service.

If there is not a decided change in the methods of street sweeping at once, Street Superintendent Werdin and the public will know the reason why.

At the Council session yesterday afternoon the street-sweeping contractors came in for a round scoring.

A clear and convincing report of existing conditions was presented to the Council by the Street Superintendent.

Because of the wretched manner in which the streets are swept, Superintendent Werdin has refused to approve all bills for sweeping since the 10th inst. Contractors Franklin and Alexander have promised some reforms, and pending their execution the Street Superintendent recommends that the Council give the firm the benefit of the doubt.

He recommends that the Council discount all bills 25 per cent. for the present. Harsher measures will be required, he thinks, if the firm longer refuses to abide by the contract and specifications.

Street Superintendent Werdin is in earnest.

After a verbal battle, his report was referred to the Board of Public Works.

It remains to be seen whether the Council is in earnest, and will assist the Street Superintendent in his campaign for clean streets. The presentation of the report caused quite a flurry in the Council. President Bowen called Nofziger to the chair, and spoke at length from the floor.

"Facts presented in this report," he said, "are sufficient to justify action by this Council. The Street Superintendent should know whether we will uphold his hands. The mere fact that the city pays to have streets swept by hand, and they are not so swept, is enough to warrant strenuous action. The Street Superintendent should be notified that unless the contract is complied with, the Council will revoke it. We have put up with dirty streets long enough."

Davenport thought the report should be referred to a committee, in which position he was warmly supported by Todd.

"It's as plain as plain can be," said he of the Sixth Ward. "If they can do it, let them do it. If they can't do it, let them quit. That's the only point. Let the Board of Public Works investigate."

Bowen objected to the delay occasioned by referring the matter to the board. He said the specifications were all right; that the contract made the Street Superintendent sole judge of the street sweeping, and that there was no reason why the Council should not say that if the contract was not observed it would be revoked. He said no fair man could doubt that the contractors could sweep the streets properly if they employed enough men. Continuing, he said:

"Formerly the contractors only received 14 and 15 cents a thousand square yards for street sweeping. When the present specifications were drawn, this amount was increased to 24 cents for machine sweeping, and 62½ cents per thousand yards for hand sweeping. The contractors can not profess that the rate of payment is too low. Here is an opportunity to call the contractors to account. The report shows that they have been duly notified, and that they have persistently refused to observe the specifications. I am tired of being held up on every street corner and harangued about the bad condition of the streets. I move that we inform the Street Superintendent, that unless the contract observed in future, it will be revoked by this Council, and that we adopt the report discounting all bills to date 25 per cent."

McAleer seconded the motion.

Todd moved as a substitute motion that the report be referred to the Board of Public Works to examine the specifications.

"It would be much better to examine the streets than the specifications," retorted Bowen. "The specifications are all right."

Bowen stated that Franklin & Alexander have informed the street-sweeping inspector that they will not sweep the streets by hand notwithstanding the fact that the contract requires them to do so.

In the end Todd succeeded in having the report referred to the Board of Public Works by the close vote of 5 to 4, Davenport, Summerland, Kern and Farlow voting with him to refer.

Portions of the Street Superintendent's report to the Council are as follows:

"As citizens, we take it for granted, that you have long been familiar with the unsatisfactory manner in which the sweeping and cleaning of the paved streets of the city has been executed.

"As the highest governing power in the city, it is but right and proper that you should be informed of the efforts being made by the present Street Superintendent to remedy this evil. Hence we beg leave to submit for your consideration the following report:

"On taking charge of the street work of the city January 5, 1903, the firm of Franklin & Alexander, who have the contract for sweeping the paved streets of the city were at once notified that a strict compliance with the specifications of their contract would not only be expected, but positively required.

"On the next day, January 6, after a careful and thorough examination of the principal streets of the city by the inspector of street sweeping, the contractors were informed of the unsatisfactory results of their work."

A copy of the letter sent to Franklin & Alexander is included in the report. In this letter the Street Superintendent called the attention of the contractors to the unsatisfactory sweeping of nearly all the streets designated as "first class" and many of those called "second class" in the contract, or nearly the entire downtown section. Over the signatures of Street Superintendent Werdin and Sweeping Inspector N. C. Whims, the firm was informed that daily reports would be demanded.

Back of this letter to the contractors is a little bit of political history. Manifestly it would be impossible for an inspector to canvass the streets and make an intelligent report in one day. Inspector Whims is no prodigy.

However, about the middle of December the new Councilmen met in caucus to distribute the patronage. Bowen, who had promised his constituents to better the street-sweeping if possible, insisted on naming the street-sweeping inspector. Whims was chosen, and he immediately began work. Day by day he kept watch of the sweeping, noted the number of men employed, failures to sweep streets, and evasions of the contract. All this data was compiled and placed before Street Superintendent Werdin. It was discovered that, although all the principal downtown streets are listed to be swept by hand, only one or two men were employed as a broom brigade. Other violations fully as flagrant were noted. Consequently one day of official life was all that was needed by Inspector Whims to furnish his chief with a full and specific account of the doings of the street-sweeping contractors, compiled without their knowledge.

The first note was followed two days later by another calling the contractors' attention to many specific provisions in the contract, which were not being observed. After quoting from the specifications the letter says:

"The foregoing conditions are daily and nightly being ignored and disregarded in whole or in part, both in letter and spirit, and cannot longer be tolerated."

WHAT WERDIN SAYS.

Street Superintendent Werdin says: "As the foregoing notices seemed to have but little effect, and the condition of the streets remained about the same, a third and somewhat more pointed notice was delivered to the contractors on Saturday, January 10."

The attention of the Council is especially called to the block of streets designated in the schedule as first-class streets. The streets included in this class are as follows, to wit: Main street from Marchesault street to Sixth street, Spring street from Temple to Sixth, Broadway from Temple to Sixth, Market street from Main to Spring, Court street from Main to Spring, First street from Main to Broadway, Second street from Main to Broadway, Third street from Main to Broadway, Fourth street from Main to Broadway, Fifth street from Main to Broadway, Sixth street from Main to Broadway, a total of 106,316 square yards.

The provisions of the contract governing the cleaning and sweeping of these streets, as indicated in the specifications, are as follows:

"All streets and alleys in schedule hereunto annexed and designated as first class shall be swept and cleaned by hand and kept clean each and every day, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Sundays excepted.)

"No dirt or rubbish or manure shall be allowed to remain on said streets or alleys of the first class, or any portion thereof, for any period of time whatever.

"The entire surface of the roadway, at each street and alley, or portion thereof, unless prevented by construction, is to be fully swept and the sweeping to be immediately removed from the streets, etc."

It is entirely unnecessary to state here that these explicit, if somewhat exacting, conditions are, in no sense, being complied with by the present contractors. While a perceptible improvement has been noticed by the inspector, during the past week, the degree of cleanness, indicated by the foregoing excerpts from the specifications of the contract, has not even been approached.

The method used in the sweeping and cleaning of streets of the first class, by the contractors, as far as we have been able to observe, is as follows: A fairly thorough sweeping, by machinery, some time during the night, the area being covered next day, by a crew of fourteen or fifteen men, picking up and placing in cans, the horse-droppings and other débris. The cans, when full, being transferred to the sidewalk, there to remain until after nightfall, when the contents are again dumped into the street and shoveled into wagons.

As no attempt whatever is made by the contractors, to sweep the entire surface of streets of the first class by hand, we would therefore recommend that the contractors be required to sweep, by hand, all streets included in the first class, and remove the sweepings therefrom immediately, as per contract.

We have refused to O. K. all bills for sweeping streets of the first class since January 10, in accordance with notice to contractors to that effect.

In consideration of the fact that the contractors have failed to sweep and clean, by hand, the entire surface of streets of the first class, and keep them clean, according to the meaning and intent of the specifications of their contract, we recommend a penalty discount of 25 per cent. on all bills for this class of work since January 10, 1903.

We are much gratified to be able to report a marked improvement in the machine-sweeping work on streets designated as second, third and fourth class, during the last few days.

We believe that an honest effort is being put forth, by the contractors, to remedy some of the defects heretofore existing and which were noted in our communication to them under date of January 8. With the advent of new and improved machinery (which we are assured has been ordered,) for both sprinkling and sweeping, we confidently look for better results in these features of the work. There are one or two defects, however, in which, we regret to say, the contractors have given us no reason to expect a betterment, although their attention has been repeatedly called to them. The first and less important is provided for in the following paragraph in the specifications.

"All pavements at the intersection of an unpaved or ungraded street or alley with the street being swept, shall be swept and cleaned between the curbs of the unpaved or ungraded streets as far back as the property line of the street being swept. There is no attempt being made, by the contractors, as far as we have been able to observe, to meet this requirement."

The second and much more important defect is the failure to remove the sweepings from the gutters, in a proper manner, after they have been carried there by the sweeping machines. This defect is almost universal on the machine-swept streets, but particularly so on East First and East Second streets, and only to a less extent on many others. Some remedial action is certainly justifiable, at this time.

FIRE HOUSES.

DEPARTMENT INSPECTION.

An inspection of the fire houses was made yesterday by Mayor Snyder and Fire Commissioners Thomson, Diss, Yates and Kuhrts. Chief Strohm acted as host and explained the merits and defects of the various fire stations to the new commissioners.

It was after 9 o'clock before the start was made from the City Hall. The party went first to the Hill-street enginehouse and then to all the other houses except the two located on Central avenue.

Hose Company No. 2 served an elegant Spanish lunch to the commission at noon. The company is composed of Lieut. Charles Jenkins and Driver A. J. Springer. What the company lacked in numbers it made up in the excellence of its entertainment.

A large basket of roses hung above the table, which was lavishly decorated with roses and smilax. The entire room was hung with the Stars and Stripes. During the repast a phonograph furnished music. All the commissioners were delighted with the entertainment.

As a result of the trip the commissioners have a better idea of the equipment and needs of the department.

Before starting on the inspection tour a brief business session was held. Commissioner Diss gave notice that he will move to amend the rules so as to require firemen to keep their coats buttoned and neatly brushed while not working at a fire. It was decided to hold the regular meeting of the commission on Saturday morning at 9:15 o'clock. Kuhrts and Diss were appointed on the Finance Committee and Thomson and Yates on the Supply Committee.

THIRD RAILS.

PETITIONS FILED.

As indicated by Attorney W. E. Dunn before the Board of Public Works last Friday afternoon, the Pacific Electric Railway Company has decided to appeal to the Council for permission to lay a third rail on First and Main streets. Yesterday the following franchise application was filed:

"We hereby ask your honorable body to advertise for sale and to sell to the highest bidder, a franchise for the operation of a street railroad along First street, from the intersection of First and Los Angeles streets, to the intersection of Main and First streets; thence on Main street to Second street with the right to put in the necessary curves at each of said intersections. We ask that this privilege include the right to lay a standard-gauge track."

The application was signed by the Pacific Electric Railway Company, through Dunn & Crutcher, attorneys.

The application was expected, but the petitions that accompanied it were not. It had been supposed that most of the property owners on First and Main streets objected to six rails on a street. Quite a number do not, however, as two petitions were presented asking that the third-rail privilege be granted, between First and Sixth street, in order that the Pacific Electric company's lines from Monrovia, Alhambra and Pasadena might reach the Huntington depot at Sixth and Main streets. The petitions recite that the advantage to the traveling public and the business community will more than offset any possible objection that could be made to the third rail. The petitions are signed by O. T. Johnson, I. W. Hellman, I. N. Van Nuys, H. W. Hellman, Eugene Germain, H. Edwards, Kaspare Cohn, William Kerckhoff, Victor Ponet, E. T. Earl, Joseph Kurtz, A. W. Edelman, D. Desmond, Henderson Heyward, L. C. Brand, and about fifty others, representing a large frontage in the aggregate.

While the company eventually intends to secure the third-rail privilege from First to Ninth street, on Main, it will be noted that the application only carries the company as far as Second street. It is more than probable that some old defunct franchise will be produced to account for the remaining distance. Unless this be the case, it is possible that the company desires to secure the franchise in such remnants as will preclude the possibility of competition for the concessions.

The application was referred to the Board of Public Works, which is disposed to view the application with favor.

Owing to his stand on the freight franchise, it is probable that Mayor Snyder will veto a franchise including a third-rail privilege, and it is not unlikely that the Council will promptly carry the franchise over his head. As matters stand now, the Pacific Electric Railway Company will secure the concession, with little opposition from Councilmen.

Complaint was made to the Council by G. H. Mallmall and Dr. William LeMoyne Wills that the tracks of the company on First street are not in the center of the street. According to measurements, the north track is four feet nearer the curb than the south track. The Council is asked to have the tracks placed in the center of the street. Dr. Wills said he does not hope to stop the "railroad juggernaut," but only desires fair play.

MAP APPROVED.

COUNCIL'S MISCELLANY.

After a little "lightning jugglery" in the lobby yesterday, the Board of Public Works faced squarely about and approved the map of the Pacific Improvement Company's tract in the Sixth Ward. Davenport's name was not signed to the report.

An additional allowance of $10 a month was given the Ransome Home.

Irrigators from Inglewood anxiously inquired of the Council whether the city will sell sewer water this year for use on corn, potatoes, alfalfa and like crops. On account of pending litigation the request was referred to the Sewer Committee, which will report on Monday.

Next week S. McCray will attempt to show that he is the victim of a conspiracy. He asserts that one of the property owners on Eleventh street, between El Molino and Fedora streets, who has appealed from the acceptance of improvements on the street, demanded $200 to keep quiet. McCray says he courts investigation.

The Traction Company was instructed to clean up Jefferson street between Vermont and Western avenues.

STOOD PAT.

POOLROOM ORDINANCE.

A determined effort to secure the suspension of the clause in the poolroom ordinance prohibiting pool selling at local race meets held prior to April 1, was made yesterday without avail. The Council stood pat.

During the noon recess an attempt was made to caucus, but Todd refused to play with the Republican majority. In the afternoon, however, Todd consented to break his rule, and an executive conference was held in the committee-room.

It was stated that Nofziger and Todd favored the temporary suspension of the ordinance; that Skilling, Davenport, Summerland and Kern agreed to vote for the ordinance, provided the vote was unanimous, and that the other members were on the fence.

McAleer's determined opposition decided the tilt of the balance scale. He insisted that he would oppose the measure on the floor.

John G. Mott, Fred Herr, Dana Burks, Tom Lewis and George P. Adams were most active in urging the temporary suspension of the ordinance as far as it related to local races.

Just before adjournment Attorney Adams secured the floor and outlined the reasons for the request. He said:

"The Los Angeles Jockey Club has arranged for a forty-day race meet at Agricultural Park. The meet has been advertised all over the United States, and many horses are already at the track. If the races are run at least 300 horses will be quartered at the park, and purses of $75,000 will be offered. One stable of twenty-seven horses is valued at $200,000, which shows that good, representative stock is to participate. The management has spent $5000 already. This and more will be lost, if this ordinance stands. It came as a thunderbolt from a clear sky. We had no knowledge that such a measure was to be passed. The track at the park is under lease for $500 a month. The lease runs for a year with the privilege of a renewal for five years. When races are not held the park is given to the Los Angeles Driving Club for free meetings. Many citizens of this city have ventured their money in this proposed meeting, which must fall through unless you grant what we ask. At least $500,000 will be brought into Los Angeles by the race meet, and Southern California, the home of the thoroughbred horse, will be widely advertised, if the meet is held."

The attorney then spoke at length on the effect of the ordinance, the sins of betting and the injustice that would be done the Jockey Club, if the ordinance was allowed to become law. He assured the Council that it would not be crawfishing to correct an error. He referred to the attempt of Tom Williams to confine racing to San Francisco. Hotel men and merchants of every class, he declared, were interested in the proposed meet.

But the Council was obdurate.

At the close of Attorney Adam's peroration there was absolute silence for a full minute. Then ——

"I move to adjourn," said McAleer.

"I second the motion," said Farish.

Consequently the prospects for a race meet are dismal. The poolroom ordinance is scheduled to become law tomorrow morning.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

KENTUCKY LAND WHICH NOBODY SEEMS TO OWN.

SUIT OVER FAMOUS STRIP BEGUN HERE.

Mrs. Backman Claims That She Paid One Thousand Dollars for Land That Belongs to No One and Apparently Never Did.

That famous piece of Kentucky land, which is said to have been shoved through 10,000 real estate trades like a piece of counterfeit money, has finally wound up in a lawsuit here in Los Angeles. The papers were prepared for filing yesterday by Gen. Johnstone Jones.

The plaintiff in the suit is Mrs. Anna Backman, who was left with the alleged gold brick on her hands. Her legal plaint will probably result in the exposure of this veteran fake.

Back in Kentucky there are several hundred thousand acres of land to which no one, remarkable to say, has any valid title. As long as one person has about as much right to it as any one else, it has been used for trading purposes. By actual records, it is said, that land has been swapped by persons who had no right to it and by others who thought they had and by others who didn't care a hang whether they had or not, more than 10,000 times.

Briefly it happened in this way:

Prior to 1789 the present State of Kentucky belonged to Virginia. In establishing the boundaries of the new State the Virginia Legislature carelessly designated the Big Sandy River as the dividing line. Now it happens that the Big Sandy has two forks. In later years a dispute arose as to the ownership of the land that lay between the two forks of the river.

In 1800 the State of Virginia made a grant of 650,000 acres of land to one Alexander Walcot; the land was located in this strip between the forks. The survey for this was made in 1795. When the two States appointed a commission to settle the dispute about these boundaries, it was decided that the land between the two forks of the Sandy belonged to Kentucky. Therefor the grant of land to Walcot by Virginia was void.

In the meantime and since then the land has belonged to any one.

The heirs and grantees of Walcot have been swapping and trading and transferring it to every one in sight, yet every acre of it has in fact been occupied for the last seventy-five years by other people than the Walcot claimants.

Numerous companies have been formed to deal in this anybody-who-wants-it land. Any number of people have bought it, found it to be a gold brick and passed it on to somebody else as quickly as possible.

In the present suit Anna Backman bought about twenty thousand acres of the land from Rebecca J. Le Baron for $1000, and claims she found the title worthless. She wants her money back.

Mrs. Backman makes no imputation of fraud against Mrs. Le Baron, however.

CHARGED TO PAPA.

SUIT BY COULTERS.

Charles E. Kregelo, an indulgent papa, was sued for a bill a yard and a half long, and running up to $1008 by George L. Keefer, manager for Coulter's dry good store, in Judge York's court yesterday.

His daughter is Mrs. Paul Martin. The Coulter company claimed that Kregelo had given the daughter authority to order dry goods and charge the bill to him. Kregelo, however, denied it. The bill runs from the summer of 1898 to February, 1901.

HELD FRISKY HORSE.

CHILD WAS HURT.

For leaving a child holding a skittish horse, Joseph Moffitt has been sued for $25,000 damages. The suit is brought by the grandfather of Johnnie F. Lynn, a twelve-year-old boy.

It is claimed that on December 20, 1902, Moffitt was driving a wild, unbroken horse to a two-wheeled cart, and induced the little boy to ride with him. Moffitt is alleged to have stopped the team in front of a barn and left the horse in charge of the child.

It is alleged that the horse ran away; that the boy was thrown out and that his skull sustained a compound comminuted fracture of the skull, and concussion and contusion of the brain and spinal cord, and other internal injuries.

RAILROAD SUED.

BIG DAMAGES CLAIMED.

James J. Doherty has sued the Los Angeles Railroad for $20,750, claiming that he was run into by a trolley car on Fifth street, while he was in the act of boarding another car, bound in the opposite direction.

W. T. Allen has brought a similar suit against the same company, only he claims damages in the sum of $15,500.

NEW GAME WARDEN.

W. B. MORGAN APPOINTED.

W. B. Morgan was appointed County Game Warden at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors yesterday. There were several applicants for the place, which carries a salary of $100 a month, but the prize was awarded to Mr. Morgan, who was strongly backed by leading sportsmen and others, who considered him the proper man for the job. The appointee is an old resident of Los Angeles, having formerly been a locomotive engineer in the employ of the Southern Pacific Railroad. At the present time he is engaged in the real estate business. He is an ardent sportsman, and has heretofore taken a lively interest in the enforcement of the game laws. Although somewhat of a politician, Morgan has never sought or held office, save that of Deputy Sheriff under Sheriffs Burr and Hammel, whom he served without pay. His experience in bringing law-breakers to justice and his interest in preserving the game animals of the county are said to be such as to fit him for his new position.

FOR GAS MAIN.

LOS ANGELES TO PASADENA.

The Los Angeles Lighting Company has carried the war into Africa. It applied to the Board of Supervisors yesterday for a franchise to lay a gas main to Pasadena, where Prof. Lowe holds forth.

INCORPORATIONS.

ARTICLES FILED.

Central California Redwood Company, capital stock, $200,000; subscribed, $120,000. Directors, Ed. W. Davies, F. R. Harris, F. A. Boole, W. G. Wridge, H. F. Brey.

McGehon Carriage Company, capital stock, $25,000; subscribed, $5. Directors, William McGehon, John Smith, Peter Froelich, F. C. Lamb, Hugh Sparkman.

Citrus Water Company, capital stock, $20,000; subscribed, $12,500. Directors, W. T. Michael, L. H. Dixby, O. K. Young, W. Bunce, F. G. Wyman.

La Habra Valley Land and Water Company, capital stock, $500,9000; subscribed, $4000. Directors, S. Townsend, F. E. Robinson, B. P. Daymen, C. E. Robinson, J. F. Isbell, A. H. Gragg, S. F. Johnson.

Chino Valley Cattle Company, capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $5. Directors, Jotham Bixby, George H. Bixby, George H. Stewart, W. R. Patterson, E. L. Patterson.

COURT NOTES.

MISCELLANEOUS BREVITIES.

SEPULVEDA GRAND JURY. The alleged murder of the Mexican, Sepulveda, in the City Jail, was brought before the grand jury yesterday, various police officials being called to testify.

COLE WAS CRUEL. The divorce suit against Capt. Truman Cole, which made a stir in National Guard circles, came to trial in Judge Conrey's court yesterday. It developed that the grounds for the complaint were cruelty. Mrs. Cole is the daughter of Dr. Oliver, a veterinary surgeon.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS. Beach Terminal Company has filed a certificate of bonded indebtedness in the sum of $350,000.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

WIDOW JONES AND HER CARPENTER LOVERS.

ULSES JUMPED ON BERGMAN'S HEAD IN HER PRESENCE.

Colored Aunty, Fresh from Tennessee, Sees a Genuine California Spook—Forgives the Irish Larks—Dr. Kirby Confesses Embezzlement.

Something of a love affair will be aired in the Police Court on Thursday. William Ulses was arraigned yesterday on a charge of battery preferred by August Bergman, in which the affections of a young widow play a prominent part.

Bergman was there with his head profusely bandaged, and looking the picture of despair. The story has to do with the attentions paid to Mrs. Jones, a widow, living on Myrtle street. Bergman's story is that he has been engaged to Mrs. Jones for an indefinite period, and that he spent Saturday evening in her company and arranged with her that he was to be there again on Sunday evening.

Sunday he fixed himself up in his "best" and started for the widow's house, and on the way there whom should he meet but his true love walking affectionately by the side of his rival. Bergman avers that as he met them, he said to the lady: "That's a nice way for you to do," explaining that he meant that she had invited him to enjoy her company and then went off with his rival. He says that Ulses thereupon attacked him, beating him in the face with his fists, and, when he was prostrate upon the ground, kicked him and stamped on his head. The man certainly looked as if he had gone through a thrashing machine of some sort.

The story of Ulses is that as he and Mrs. Jones approached a certain point in their walk, the lady called his attention to Bergman standing by a tree, and said that she feared he was about to attack them, and that Bergman did actually make the attack and the beating he received was given him in self-defense. There were also intimations of a knife having been displayed by Bergman; but which is the correct story will have to be decided by the character of the evidence offered at the trial.

"Muddah" Wiley's Spook-ow.

Just fresh from the superstitious belt, way down in Tennessee, "Ole Muddah" Wiley thought sure she had a visit from "de debbil hisself," a night or two ago.

Mrs. Wiley is a genuine specimen of the Tennessee coon. She recently came to this city and located in a bit of a shack on San Fernando street, and takes in washing to support herself and two pickaninnies.

The other night she started up from her bed at a very late hour and exclaomed, to use her own language to Deputy Attorney Predrickson:

"For de Lor sake, wat's dis I see"

Mrs. Wiley, to keep herself safe from the "spooks," burned a candle dimly all night, and in the ghostly light she saw standing in the middle of her little aparatment what looked like a cow. She screamed out and sat up in her fright, and at the same instant that she discovered her visitor was actually a cow, she also spied two young Irishmen at the door, peering in and enjoying the fun.

They pretended to have happened along at the opportune moment, and set about to help put the cow out of the house. This was accomplished after "sookey" had created havoc among the scant bits of furniture, scared the pickaninnies half out of their wits and had done other awful things to the humble home of Mrs. Wiley.

She was grateful to the two Irish lads for their assistance, until she observed their antics as they drove the cow down the street from the house; then she became convinced that they had pushed the cow through her door, which was not locked for want of the lock and key wherewithal to lock it, and she became quite angry. She went to the District Attorney's office and swore out a complaint for the two young fellows, who, for want of better names, were designated as John Doe and Richard Roe.

Mrs. Wiley identified them and pointed them out to the officer, and they were arrested. They owned up to the mischief, paid for the broken furniture, as well as the costs which had accrued, and the complaint was withdrawn. Mrs. Wiley saying:

"I know de boys don't mean nuffin; gist out fo' a little bit o' fun."

Cheap Surgical Instruments.

Dr. T. H. Kirby, who has been acting as solicitor for W. W. Sweeney for the sale of surgical instruments, went into a little business on his own account, by surreptitiously taking cases of instruments from the store and disposing of them to second-hand dealers at a greatly-reduced price, but at a very good profit to himself.

It is alleged that he thus disposed of five cases of instruments, valued at $10 each, and he was yesterday arraigned before Justice Chambers, charged with embezzlement in two of the cases. He pleaded guilty to both charges and was ordered to appear today for sentence. It will probably not be thought necessary to press the other three complaints.

Brevities from the Dock.

Wong Wah was in the dock yesterday charged with disturbing the peace, and Officer McDowell had in his possession a small butcher's cleaver, with which it is said he attempted to carve another Celestial. The latter, however, failed to appear and swear to a complaint, and Wong went free.

John Wilson was given fifteen days for stealing a dress skirt from Ollie Reynolds, a woman of the town, living on New High street. An unsavory story was coupled with the theft of the skirt.

William Pingree, the forlorn fiddler who has done several turns on the chain gang for drunkenness as William Henry, and one in the name of Pingree, was up again yesterday and got soaked for ten days more. He has been out of jail but a day or two.

"Louis Wood" was called to answer a drunk charge yesterday, and a broad smile overspread the court when a strapping wench stepped up and answered to the charge.

THE FEDERAL COURTS.

DYING PRISONER GETS OUT OF JAIL.

JULES DALLAGIOVANNA RELEASED ON REDUCED BAIL.

Consumption Has in Its Clutches the Enslaver of the Girl, Adolphine Babut, Who Was Rescued from Hiding-place in Santa Monica Canyon.

Holding a young girl in bondage, that her body may be sold, over and over again, to keep gold in the miserable master's purse, is a charge so blasting in its very intimation that few men are so low they would not shrink in horror from answering to it in any of the courts of men; but Jules Dallagiovanna, Italian, may have to plead to it at the bar of God. With the stamp of death on his brow, he was led out of a prison cell yesterday and given permission to breathe free air until the 18th of March, when—if he is alive—he will be arraigned before a jury in the United States Court on the charge of "holding, for the purpose of prostitution, a woman unlawfully imported into the United States for said purpose."

Times readers will recall the story of Adolphine Babut, the seventeen-year-old French girl, who was rescued last October from a hiding-place in the recesses of Santa Monica Cañon, where she had been concealed by her frightened captors, Jules Dallagiovanna and his female companion, Maximiliene Baron. The rescue of Adolphine was made by Police Officer Hiriart, and was the result of communication between the Prefect of Paris police and United States authorities. Adolphine's mother, in Paris, having shown the former official two pitiful letters—smuggled letters—in which the child told of the awful fate into which she had been plunged.

Following the rescue of Adolphine came the arrest of Dallagiovanna and the Baron woman and their joint indictment by a Federal grand jury.

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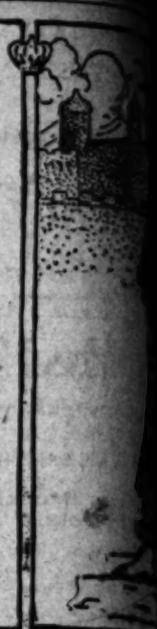

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SPECIAL SPORTING RECORD

BALL PLAYERS NOW IN THE CITY.

MEN WHO HAVE RISEN TO THE TOP RUNG.

Students Will Meet in Track Today—Pugilist Al Neill is in City—Santa Monica Team Bowling Record.

Those who have attended the season at Fiesta Park during the last two weeks have come to realize that at present Los Angeles contains a number of players of more than local reputation and some who are about more or less brightly known in western leagues. In a few days, however, they will have departed for the East, to begin active work with the several teams that have signed for this season, leaving many friends who have seen their good work in this city in the lurch.

Of these, none are better known than Spies. Two years ago he was catcher for the Los Angeles team and easily won and held the favor of the critical local fans. Last year he was one of the backstops for the Louisville, Ky., team, and is now there again this season.

Ernie Householder, who has played for the local team for two years, will leave us this year for [illegible], and many who have watched him the ball around Chutes Park [illegible] are sure he will make good with the fast company to which he [illegible].

Joe Dennis, who played short stop for the Oakland club last season, and played that position in fine style, will be seen this year in the Hot Springs club.

Ernie Courtney of this city, who played part of last season in Baltimore and Boston, and had to quit on account of sickness, will be in the New York American League team this season. He is a valuable man to any team.

Anderson, who caught last year for Los Angeles, is yet undecided as to where he will go, and may stay here. He is a good backstop and hitter.

"Dolly" Gray made his appearance last year as a pitcher for the Los Angeles club, but was not tried out sufficiently to show just what he can do. He is more than an average twirler, and may assist in pitching the local team to victory this season.

PUGILISM.

NEILL COMES IN.

Al Neill, the fighter, who is to meet Billy Woods here in Hazard's Pavilion on Thursday night, arrived yesterday from San Francisco, accompanied by his manager, Morris Levy, and his trainer, Raggett. Neill has done his training in the north, and all he will do now is road work. He weighs about 154 pounds in ring costume, and says he is in good condition.

Woods is also reported in good shape, and will enter the ring as good as his many friends would care to see him. He always takes care of himself, and promises not to disappoint any one this time.

TRACK ATHLETICS.

TEAMS MEET TODAY.

The senior and junior classes of the University of Southern California will struggle for field honors with the athletes of the sophomore and freshman classes on the campus at West Los Angeles this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

It is not expected that any intercollegiate records will be broken in the tussle, but it will be excellent training for the candidates who are trying for places on the 'varsity track team and may be the means of bringing out some new material.

The upper-class men are expected to win, as they have more experienced men than the "sophs" and "freshies."

All the events of a regular field meet are scheduled, with the exception of the hurdle race, which will not be run off.

The academic students have challenged the winners of this contest for a meet in two weeks.

The professional schools and the departments at West Los Angeles will also try conclusions on the track the first Saturday in February.

It now seems probable that the big intercollegiate meet between Pomona and U.S.C. will be held at Agricultural Park, in this city, on Washington's birthday, instead of at Santa Monica, as first announced.

BOWLING.

COAST RECORD BROKEN.

The Santa Monica team broke the Coast record last night for a game in competition, by bowling 1023 in the first game of three bowled with the Ocean Park team at Santa Monica. They won three straight, and bowled very high scores in all three. These were as follows:

Santa Monica—	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Howard	219	179	174	191 2-3
Valenzula	194	196	183	190 2-3
Holder	178	162	169	170 2-3
Gilman	176	183	200	186 1-3
Tuup	205	176	174	185
Totals	1023	896	897	
Ocean Park—	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Mitchell	145	124	136	135 2-3
Unger	146	168	176	163 2-3
Holborrow	161	146	124	143 2-3
Allen	169	122	154	148 2-3
Fraser	120	138	211	156 1-3
Totals	723	707	797	

SOME BASEBALL STARS NOW PLAYING IN LOS ANGELES.

YACHTING.

LIPTON OFFERS CUP.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 11.—In a letter to L. A. Blochman of the Corinthian Yacht Club, Sir Thomas Lipton has offered to present a cup as a prize in a yacht race to be held at San Diego and in which Pacific Coast clubs will be invited to participate. Definite arrangements for the event have not yet been made, but it is intended to make this a perpetual challenge cup.

Mrs. Hughson, of Chicago, whose letter follows, is another woman in high position who owes her health to the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for several years with general weakness and bearing-down pains, caused by womb trouble. My appetite was fitful, and I would lie awake for hours, and could not sleep, until I seemed more weary in the morning than when I retired. After reading one of your advertisements I decided to try the merits of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and I am so glad I did. No one can describe the good it did me. I took three bottles faithfully, and besides building up my general health, it drove all disease and poison out of my body, and made me feel as spry and active as a young girl. Mrs. Pinkham's medicines are certainly all they are claimed to be."—MRS. M. E. HUGHSON, 347 East Ohio St., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Pinkham Tells How Ordinary Tasks Produce Displacements.

Apparently trifling incidents in woman's daily life frequently produce displacements of the womb. A slip on the stairs, lifting during menstruation, standing at a counter, running a sewing machine, or attending to the most ordinary tasks may result in displacement, and a train of serious evils is started.

The first indication of such trouble should be the signal for quick action. Don't let the condition become chronic through neglect or a mistaken idea that you can overcome it by exercise or leaving it alone.

More than a million women have regained health by the use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice, and a few timely words from her will show you the right thing to do. This advice costs you nothing, but it may mean life or happiness or both.

Mrs. Leiah Stowell, 177 Wellington St., Kingston, Ont., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—You are indeed a godsend to women, and if they all knew what you could do for them, there would be no need of their dragging out miserable lives in agony.

"I suffered for years with bearing-down pains, womb trouble, nervousness, and excruciating headache, but a few bottles of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** made life look new and promising to me. I am light and happy, and I do not know what sickness is, and I now enjoy the best of health."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can always be relied upon to restore health to women who thus suffer. It is a sovereign cure for the worst forms of female complaints,—that bearing-down feeling, weak back, falling and displacement of the womb, inflammation of the ovaries, and all troubles of the uterus or womb. It dissolves and expels tumors from the uterus in the early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors. It subdues excitability, nervous prostration, and tones up the entire female system. Its record of cures is the greatest in the world, and should be relied upon with confidence.

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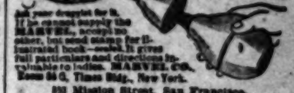

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THE OIL INDUSTRY

ATLANTIC COMBINE ORGANIZED IN SUNSET.

IMPORTANT PRODUCERS BACK OF NEW CONSOLIDATION.

Refineries, Pipe Lines and Storage Plants—Queen to Manufacture Asphaltum—Midland Pacific Railroad Interested—On Stock Market.

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 13.—A gigantic combination to be known as the Atlantic Consolidated Oil Fields Company is to be formed at once by H. A. Blodgett and Solomon Jewett of this city, who own the largest interests in the Sunset field, and a number of forty associates associated with them for the purpose of handling the product of the Sunset and Midway districts. The corporation will be organized under the laws of Maine, with a capital stock of $5,000,000. It takes in practically all the producing properties in these districts.

The company will erect at once five tanks of 10,000 barrels capacity each and will add to this when necessary. The capacity of the present refinery at Bakersfield will be quadrupled at once. A pipe line, ten miles in length, exclusive of mains, will be constructed to connect the entire Sunset and Midway districts with the terminus of the Sunset road, where the tanks will be located. The line will be constructed of six and ten-inch pipe, and the oil, by which it is expected to reach every part of the field, will be carried in eight and six-inch pipe. The pipe line alone calls for an immediate expenditure of $150,000.

Besides this the company will at once construct a complete telephone system throughout the two districts and will also build waterworks system.

The purchase of the company when carried out will place the Sunset and Midway districts under one control and will give them a great advantage over the Kern River and McKittrick in marketing products.

REFINING FEATURES.

PLANS TO MAKE BRIQUETTES.

The manufacturing of briquettes will be a new feature by the Queen Oil Company, which has completed arrangements for the erection of a refinery in the Sunset field.

Improvements are now being made by the management of this concern and it is quite possible that when the plant is completed it will be equipped for the manufacturing not only of asphaltum and its by-products, but also of soap.

Experiments are now a number of plants in operation in the Kern River and Sunset fields that are making a feature of manufacturing high-grade lubricating oils and are meeting with success.

SANTA FE-PACIFIC ASSURED.

Reliable reports received it now seems almost certain that the Midland-Pacific Railroad will be built. This road, which will give the operators of Sunset much-needed transportation facilities, has been talked of for several months, but it is now announced that the bonds of the company have been sold.

According to a telegram received by the backers of the enterprise, the Kelly, Edicott company of Boston has purchased bonds to the amount of $2,000,000. This means that there is now money enough in sight to begin work on the road.

The construction of such a road would also mean a rate of 22 cents a barrel for the shipment of oil from Sunset to San Francisco.

ON 'CHANGE.

STOCKS MOVE UPWARD.

High-class securities are moving upward on the local floor. Central yesterday brought 79 cents a share, while a bid of $69.50 was recorded for Union, which has something like 15 points to its credit.

The one sale during yesterday's call was 500 shares of Central at the price named.

The closing bids and offers for listed oil stocks were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Alpha	$ .14	7.00
Brea Canyon	5.50	.50
Continental	.35	.39
Dardanelles	.17½	.11
Fullerton Oil	.09	.40
Fullerton Consolidated	.32	.18½
Globe	.11	....
Iced Crude	.24½	.65
Senator	....	.09½
Southern California	.65	71.00
Uncle Sam	69.50	....
Union	.30	.61
Universal	.60½	.43½
Westlake	....	....
Whittier Consolidated	....	

For listed mining stocks, offers were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Golden Argus	$16.00	$17.00

For unlisted mining stocks offers were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona & Ark. C., Z. & L.	$ .85	....
Arizona Giant	....	.13½
Butte Lode	27.50	....
Bisbee West	.12½	....
Bisbee Belle	....	.06
Verde King	.15	.15½
Green Mountain	....	.10
Hudson	.09½	....
South Bisbee Copper	....	.10½
American Gold	....	.35
Red Cloud	.09	.13
New Cornstock	....	.12
Exposed Treasure	....	1.25
Providence G. & C.	....	.08
Black Hills Copper	.18	.20
Venture Hill	....	.02
Copper Glance	.09	.45
Modern Copper	....	.50
Hidalgo	.20	....

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of local fuel oil is quoted at from 50 to 65 cents a barrel at the wells. Oil of less than 13 gravity finds a market at from 40 to 50 cents a barrel.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at the following figures: Three hundred Sterling, 2.70; 50 San Joaquin, 7.50; 200 Occidental, .20; 100 Sovereign, .41; 100 Home Oil, 3.40; 1000 Independence, .13; 500 Lion, .10; [illegible] California Standard, .18; 2000 Reed, [illegible].

Official closing figures were: One hundred Four Oil, .62; 5000 Lion, .11; 500 Monte Cristo, 1.50; 4500 Independence, .13; 1000 Independence, .15; 3000 Independence, .14; 500 Monarch, .30; 500 Sterling, 2.75.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Ebell.

Yesterday the Ebell had its current-events afternoon, Mrs. W. E. Chapin, curator. This class has always a large attendance, and is among the most successful of the sections. Mrs. Chapin, who spoke yesterday to an audience that filled nearly every seat in the auditorium, selected timely topics. "The Coal Strike," "Interstate Commerce," the proposed profit-sharing scheme of a large steel trust, and the holding of office in the South by colored people were among the industrial subjects of national importance touched upon. In State matters the work that lies before the present Legislature was lightly touched upon, and the class urged to follow the work of the session carefully.

In matters of civic interest the pole nuisance overtopped all others, apropos of which Mrs. Chapin related the successful effort of the town of New Hope, Pa., to cope with a like situation. The town legislators taxed each pole so much per capita, and the company involved carried the case from court to court until the Supreme Court of the United States sustained the ruling of the lower courts that poles are taxable property. The speaker estimated that if every pole in Los Angeles were taxed 10 cents a year, in five years it would amount to enough to pay for the laying of conduits all over the city, which could then be rented to the various telephone, telegraph and electric-light companies in which they may hide the obnoxious wires.

Arbitration in the Venezuelan difficulty, the social evils existing in London, attributed by some to the overcrowded condition of the labor market, and by others to the shocking prevalence of intemperance, and the new stringent temperance legislation that is to be made the basis of a crusade against this condition, were all noted, followed by a brief but intensely interesting review of political conditions in Germany, Austria, Holland and Denmark. Reference to the personal and political considerations that have formed the character of Emperor Franz Josef, and the love borne him by his subjects closed European topics, and the lesson was brought to a close with mention of the pageant of Delhi and the work accomplished by Lord Curzon in India during the four years he has been Viceroy.

The last lecture of the course which Dr. Kim is giving under the auspices of the Ebell will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The subject is "Shintoism and the Spirit of Japan," or "the Japanese religion and its effect on the Japanese people." Next Monday Dr. Kim will lecture to the club on "Oriental Art," the musical section having postponed their programme for one week to make room for Dr. Kim. This lecture is free to club members, each of whom is entitled to bring one guest. The "Oriental Symposium" will be given under the direction of Dr. Kim Saturday, January 31, and a play written by her will be produced in which she will appear. A Japanese drama is to be produced by a local Japanese club and there will be tableaux illustrative of Chinese home life.

Up the Nile.

The next three meetings of the tourist section of the Ebell will be devoted to the Nile, following that of yesterday, when the class journeyed up the historic river as far as Thebes, under the guidance of the curator, Mrs. P. G. Hubert.

Wednesday Morning.

The Current Events section of the Wednesday Morning Club met yesterday with Mrs. Kenney as leader, who carried the class around the world and back again in an interesting manner, beginning with our State Legislature, its two bodies, how the presiding officers are elected, and their duties. The modus operandi of a bill from its inception till it becomes a law was traced, and some bills about to be introduced received the attention and the approbation of the club.

Miss Lyons gave a well-written paper on the training of naval cadets, and the fact was made prominent that whereas a few years ago 25 per cent of the navy was foreign born, today 90 per cent. are Americans. The high standard for the education of the cadets and the improved condition of the navy due to the influence of Secretary Long, and also his abolition of the use of liquor were touched upon. The present naval appropriation of $78,000,000 was contrasted with the $1,000,000 appropriation of one previous year in the nation's history, which at the time was considered extravagant. Other topics discussed were the removal of import duty from coal, and polygamy in connection with Utah's new Senator. Wireless telegraphy, the Parisian discovery of oil colors made up in pencil form were noted, as was also the fact that the Indian census of the United States shows a total of 269,206.

The German bombardment of Venezuelan ports, the Monroe doctrine in its various phases, as affecting our desired ownership of St. Thomas and a narrow strip of territory along the long-talked-of canal, Chamberlain' good work in South Africa, and the desire of England to purchase Rhodesia, the religious war in Morocco, and the English eye longingly turned upon that country were among the interesting subjects discussed. Temperance in Russia, and the work of the agricultural commission in that country, the condition of the Jews in Roumania, and the famine existing in Finland, and in London, received attention.

Mrs. J. L. Merrill read a paper on Abydos, and Dendara, and Mrs. Joseph Coleman presented one on Luxor. Mrs. Hubert told of her trip by rail from Cairo to Luxor, and spoke at length of the temples and ruins at Thebes. Adding to the interest of the morning by showing fine photographs.

Mrs. Kenny is an able leader, and the club considers itself fortunate in being able to secure her in the place of Mrs. Fay, who was obliged to resign on account of ill-health.

A birthday reception is being planned for the evening of January 26 by the Wednesday Morning Club, under the auspices of the Social Committee.

Monday Study.

Yesterday's meeting of the Monday Study Club was opened with quotations from various authors. In the current history, "the serious situation of the bubonic plague in San Francisco," and other timely topics were discussed. In the study of "As You Like It" several acts read, and after discussion of the same questions were answered. The class will finish the play next week.

Mrs. J. B. Foster and Miss Judd were elected delegates to the Sttate Federation at Fresno.

"Ay, Ay, Sir."

Instantly the captain sprang upon the quarterdeck.

"Double-reef the main hallards!" he shouted. "All hands lay aloft to furl the jib boom! Port your starboard mizzen-mast! clew up the gaskets! Belay, there! Belay!"

"Ay, ay, sir!" responded the brave sailors, as they came dashing up the forward binnacle.

The condition of the ship was indeed perilous.

A tremendous sea had unshipped the vessel from truck to keel—the main hatch. Great waves swept son. Staggering from the force of the shock she rolled helplessly in the hilge, now burying her nose deep in the forecastle and anon shaking herself free from the lee scuppers that threatened to engulf her. Amid the deafening spume and scumble stood the dauntless young captain, lashed firmly to the bowsprit, and issuing his orders in ringing tones.

"Clear away the capstan!"

"Ay, ay, sir!"

"Brail up the main forestay!"

"Ay, ay, sir!"

"Stand by to heave up the main sheet! Belay, there! belay!"

"Ay, ay, sir!"

At this moment the gallant ship suddenly luffed and bore away upon her starboard peak, leaving a foaming wake to leeward.

Saved by consummate seamanship—but it was a narrow escape.—[Chicago Tribune.

The Accommodating Grocer.

She was newly married and did not know a little bit about either housekeeping or shopping, and she was giving her very first order. It was a crusher; but the grocer was a clever man, and was used to all kinds of orders, and could interpret them easily.

"I want two pounds of paralyzed sugar," she began.

"Yes'm. Anything else?"

"Two tins of condemned milk."

"Yes'm."

He set down pulverized sugar and condensed milk.

"A bag of fresh salt. Be sure it is fresh."

"Yes'm. What next?"

"A pound of desecrated codfish."

He wrote glibly, "desiccated cod."

"Nothing more, ma'am? We have some nice horsey-dish, just in."

"No," she said, "it would be of no use to us; we don't keep a horse."

Then the grocer sat down and fanned himself with a washboard, although the temperature was freezing.—[Woman's Home Companion.

PREPOSTEROUS.

Daughter: Mama, do you really think it wrong for me to flirt in a mild way?

Fashionable Mother: Why, Clara! The idea of an unmarried person flirting! I'm surprised at you.

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PROPER USE OF MILK.

WHEN IT IS FOUND TO DISAGREE IT IS TAKEN UNDER WRONG CONDITIONS—CAUTION TO BE OBSERVED—DOES NOT GO WELL IN QUANTITY WITH COOKED FOODS—TO BE DRUNK LUKEWARM.

BY W. R. C. LATSON, M.D.

(Editor Health Culture Magazine, New York; author of "Food Value of Meat," etc.)

(This subject will be discussed further in a later issue.)

THE food value of milk is a question which has awakened wide interest and much discussion. The results claimed to have been gained by the use of a diet composed largely or even wholly, of milk are such as to command attention. If a woman, devitalized, anaemic, emaciated and practically inefficient, can be by such diet transformed within two or three months to a state of apparent high health, vigor and spirits, with a gain in weight of from thirty to sixty pounds—if such a transformation can be accomplished, not once, but many times, it means an enormous gain in the struggle against weakness, disease and premature death. Such metamorphoses have been wrought through the use of a dietary in which milk was the principal ingredient. That such results have been gained—the mere fact that they are claimed—is enough to invest the subject of milk as food with a wide interest.

POINTS TO BE CONSIDERED.

Opinions on the question of the food value of milk are many and various. For this there are several reasons. In the first place many who dogmatize on the subject are influenced by mere theory or prejudice. Others base their opinions upon their own personal experience. But the mere personal experience of one individual or of a small number cannot by any possibility afford material from which to decide a question of so many complex relations. To reach a just deduction in a matter such as this it is necessary to consider the chemistry and physiology involved, the various conditions which might affect the matter and the practical results in a large number of cases. Unless each point is carefully considered we are apt to come to an entirely erroneous conclusion.

In last week's article there were presented a description of milk and an account of the effect of cooking in chemically altering its food elements. Without going farther into the generalities of the question, it may be well, in this paper, to take up the more practical aspect of the food value of milk and to show how the full benefits of this most valuable food may be more generally gained.

CAUSE OF DISAGREEABLE RESULTS.

It is not unusual to hear someone remark that, although he likes milk, he cannot take it because it does not agree with him. Often this is followed by a quotation of that glaring absurdity, "What is one man's meat is another man's poison." Most of those who oppose the use of milk as a staple article of food base their arguments against milk upon the simple and generally explainable fact that the [illegible] does not seem to occur to these people that possibly the discomforts they experienced were due to the fact that they made some error in the manner of using the milk.

One of the most dogmatic opponents of milk as a food once recounted to the writer an experience with milk which induced him for more than twenty years to abstain from its use entirely and to warn everyone against it. When quite a boy this man had drunk a quart of cold milk at a sitting. Within two hours he had a violent attack of acute nausea, with alarming symptoms such as coldness of the extremities, vertigo and fits of trembling. The attack lasted several hours and left the sufferer in a state of great weakness and discomfort. Apparently this made a strong case against milk. If milk is liable to set up such a grave disturbance it certainly is an article of diet to be taken with caution.

TAKEN AT WRONG TIME.

A few questions, however, elicited several facts which, although omitted from the tale as ordinarily told, had a most important bearing on the question. The quart of milk was taken at about 8 o'clock in the evening. At 6:30 the man had dined, and, while it was impossible for him to recall the foods, his habit was to eat hearty meals. The fact of a heavy dinner, eaten about one hour before taking the milk, puts an entirely different face on the matter. Milk is not a beverage, but a food, and a "hearty" food at that. It requires for its digestion and assimilation a certain outlay of digestive energy. Now, this zealous opponent of milk had taken at 6:30 a hearty meal, which fully absorbed, if, indeed, it did not overtax his digestive forces. After such a meal the stomach would not for at least four hours be in a condition to digest food. Nevertheless, into this stomach, filled with a heterogenous mass of half-digested food, our friend had poured a quart of milk. He could not possibly digest it, and the milk promptly fermented. Between the decomposed milk and the half-digested mass of food there were formed conditions as acrid and poisonous as to set up the nausea, and, through disturbance of the sympathetic nervous system, the other symptoms.

BAD RESULTS EXPLAINED.

When milk disagrees it will usually, if not invariably, be found that it is being improperly used. The mistakes made are numerous, and each one of these errors leads to its series of adverse consequences, which the individual usually attributes to the fact of taking milk. In a word, it may be said that the bad effects attributed to milk are due, not to its use, but to its misuse or abuse.

Among the errors the one referred to above of taking milk soon after a meal is quite common. Under those circumstances the least that can happen is that the food value both of the meal and the intruding milk shall be greatly reduced by the false chemical changes due to their combination. If, however, the meal has been a heavy one or one including a large variety of foods, if the person is debilitated or fatigued, if the quantity of milk be too great, or if the milk be too cold, then we have conditions which may combine to produce a grave, perhaps even a fatal result. Yet it should be clearly understood that such result would be due not to the fact that milk is unwholesome or injurious, but to the circumstances under which it was taken.

LIMIT OF DIGESTIVE ADAPTABILITY.

To the physiologist the most remarkable fact about the human organism is its almost unlimited adaptability. The fact that men can survive certain habits and environmental influences to which they are sometimes subjected is a matter of perennial wonder. And in no respect perhaps is this power of adaptation more strikingly evidenced than in the matter of food. And yet even here we find that there is a limit to the adaptability of the organism. For instance, where a man or a woman has been for many years subjecting the digestive organs thrice daily to the imposition of a large mass of unnatural foods, condiments and stimulants, there is a certain degree of adaptation gained. The organs will have learned to tolerate, the masses introduced into them, although it is of course chemically impossible that the body should be properly nourished under these circumstances. But when after years of this strained attempt to reconcile and to convert into tissue these false "foods" the digestive organs are subjected to a sudden change, even to a better diet, we find that the limits of adaptability have been reached. The organs cannot adapt themselves to so sudden and radical a change, and the result is a series of disagreeable symptoms due to the digestive surprise.

CHANGE SHOULD BE CAUTIOUS.

Now, all this simply means that a middle-aged man or woman who has been for many years feeding upon meat, cooked vegetables, pastries, sweets, condiments and stimulants such as tea, coffee, alcohol and tobacco cannot without creating digestive disturbance suddenly stop such habits and begin to drink milk freely.

Another class of people who have found milk an unsatisfactory food are those who have tried the experiment of using it in large quantities combined with cooked foods. This is seldom or never successful. One may take a tumbler of milk in combination with the ordinary dinner and suffer no inconvenience. But if one were to take a quart of milk with the ordinary dinner, the probable result would be disagreeable symptoms, which would convince him that milk was a very poor food. A meal of one quart of milk with fruits, nuts, raw eggs or undressed salads, however, has never, in the writer's observation, caused inconvenience save where owing to past abuses, the stomach was in an abnormal state.

A DIGESTIVE DIFFICULTY.

Another error in the use of milk which has led to much misconception is to take milk into a stomach which, owing to long overtaxing, is unable to quite empty itself. There is thus always in the stomach an accumulation consisting of the residue of former meals. This residue, as can be readily understood, becomes in time very foul and acrid. Now, to turn into a stomach containing such matter a quart, or even a pint, of pure milk, simply means that the milk will promptly decompose.

By the way, it may be remarked that this residue of undigested and decomposing matter in the stomach is probably the explanation of the fact that many people suffer acutely from faintness, dizziness and other disagreeable symptoms during a short fast. It is very likely that these symptoms are merely the result of the absorption into the system of the residuum above referred to. The taking of food dilutes the residuum and the whole mass provides material which is to a certain extent nourishing.

HOW TO TAKE MILK.

We will now consider how to use milk to get the best results:

First of all, it should be understood that it does not usually serve in small quantities, combine well with cooked foods. Secondly, before attempting to go upon a milk diet, or, in fact, before using milk as a food in any considerable quantity, care should be taken that the stomach is prepared for the change. This may usually be effected by eating only simple food for a few days, then substituting a pint of milk and some fruit, such as a few raisins or dates, for the usual breakfast. Later the lunch or supper may be made upon similar foods. Finally the ordinary dinner may be superseded by the meal of milk, fruits, nuts and salads. Thereafter the quantity of milk may be increased in accordance with the requirements and capacities of the case.

Thirdly, the milk should be taken in its natural state. The sterilizing, Pasteurization and other processes resorted to for the purpose of preventing decomposition or of killing the microbes, causes profound chemical changes, which undoubtedly detract from the alimentary qualities of the milk.

DRINK IT LUKEWARM.

Lastly, as regards the temperature at which milk is best assimilated, it should be remembered that cold milk must be raised from its low temperature to that of the body. This means an attraction of animal heat that may be decidedly weakening to a delicate person. Besides the extreme cold has a depressing effect upon the local operations of the stomach. The probability is that the best results may be obtained by taking milk at a temperature approaching that of the animal from which it was taken.

BUILT UP BY MILK.

After all, the best evidence as to the value of milk for food is actual observation of its effects in a large number of cases. The writer, although he does not give personal attention to the care of the sick, has had opportunities for observing the effect of the proper use of milk in a large number of cases, and he feels that, when taken in accordance with the principles mentioned in this paper, milk is one of the most valuable foods known to man. The writer can make personal testimony as to many cases of devitalized, emaciated and mentally depressed people who have been transformed into active, happy and apparently healthy individuals through the use of milk in connection with other natural foods.

W. R. C. LATSON.

In tomorrow's Times S. W. Williston, Ph.D., professor of paleontology in the University of Chicago, will refute the arguments against evolution advanced by Dr. Luther T. Townsend in last Wednesday's issue.

Lucky Boy Oil Territory.

Just north of Malaga ranch, in Los Angeles county, sections 5, 7, 8, extending to section 4, 900 degrees of land. It is claimed by experts to have large deposits of oil; in fact, oil is oozing out of the ground. There have been many overtures made by eastern capitalists to secure this land, but the owners must have something besides large blocks of stock. The proof of labor for two years on road work alone is $2500. Further information will be cheerfully given by the principal owners, T. H. Brewster and W. H. Landing, Newberry Park, Cal.

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POLICE SAY "TRUMPET" HAD A PIPE-DREAM.

NO ORGANIZED OPPOSITION TO AMENDED CHARTER.

Story That Seventy-four Bluecoats Have Yielded Up Half a Month's Salary to Conduct a Lobby at Sacramento Denounced as a Canard.

Hardupson's Trumpet, otherwise known as the "Hurled," printed a pipe-dream, scare-head article yesterday, telling how seventy-four bluecoats were banded together in an attempt to prevent ratification of the amendments to the city charter at Sacramento. The impelling cause of this conspiracy, according to the Trumpet, was "hate for Mayor Snyder."

According to this voracious, rather than veracious sheet, the "insurgent" policemen to the number of seventy-four, had allowed themselves to be assessed to the extent of half a month's salary, the well-to-do members even being expected to chip in more for the good of the order, for the express purpose of defeating the charter amendments. In the pipe-dream it was also set forth that "a well-known criminal lawyer, who has repeatedly flouted the police," was acting as their special adviser in the matter, and presumably benefiting by the sack, which is alleged to have been filled with contributions from the coppers' meager salaries.

While it is probably true that some members of the police department are not enamored of the charter amendments, because of an impression existing among them that their personal interests will not be enhanced by the proposed change in the organic law of the city, there is not a particle of evidence that any organized effort is on foot in the department to influence the action of the Legislature in the matter.

Chief Elton, when questioned about the Trumpet's spasm, said there was absolutely not a grain of truth in it so far as he had been able to discover. He said he did not believe that any member of the force had contributed a single dollar to such a fund, and he did not believe that any officer was making any opposition to the charter amendments, directly or indirectly. The Chief has been in Sacramento himself since the Legislature convened, on private business, and while there not a member of the Legislature spoke to him about the charter, nor he to them. It was absurd, the Chief said, for any one to think the police would tax themselves to maintain a lobby at the capital for such a purpose. As for enmity to Mayor Snyder, Chief Elton said, there was very little feeling against the Mayor in the department; he felt sure that more than the percentage of members named as being leagued against the charter amendments, voted for Mayor Snyder at the last election.

Secretary Cottle, who was represented by the Trumpet article as being the "main squeeze" in collecting money from the patrolmen to fight the charter amendments, said it was news to him. He had personally never spoken to any of the legislators on the subject, and was not taking any hand in the fight if any was on, and he did not believe there was any. He was sure that not a single member of the force had contributed money for such a purpose. Cottle put down the whole story as a pipe-dream.

Capt. Hensley also knew nothing about such a lobby, and denounced the story as a fake. A number of patrolmen, who were interviewed, denied that they were interesting themselves in any way in the ratification or defeat of the charter amendments. They had not been asked to contribute to such a fund, now had they yielded up a dollar for any such purpose what was more, they would not, if requested to do so.

Earl Rogers, the criminal lawyer evidently referred to as adviser of the police in the alleged fight, said the absurdity of the story made him smile.

Mayor Snyder, after his return from Sacramento last Friday, stated that he believed the charter amendments would be ratified without doubt. He said the Los Angeles delegation was a unit in favor of ratification, and there seemed to be no serious opposition in any quarter, although the Mayor intimated that he had discovered that there were attempts emanating from Los Angeles to influence the legislators against ratification. The Mayor's hint seems to be the sole foundation for the Trumpet's bellowing.

TALKS WITH CITIZENS.

"If this dust nuisance continues," said W. C. Patterson, president of the Los Angeles National Bank, yesterday, "I look for the inauguration of week-end excursions to the sea and to the foothills, to afford business men opportunity to gain a breath of fresh air. The Times might start a 'fresh-air fund' for the benefit of those who cannot get away for more than a few hours at a time, because it takes a long time to clear the lungs after they have been pumped full of the dirt-laden air with which we have been afflicted this season.

"I had to go to Hollywood yesterday to get a whiff of wholesome ozone, and if there is no early betterment of the frightful conditions that exist I shall be tempted strongly to move my abode to the country, where sweet breezes ever blow, laden with the saline fragrance of the sea, or with the pure perfume of the sage and chaparral of the mountains.

"There is no doubt in my mind that this everlasting dust and dirt increase catarrhal affections of the pharynx and lead to many serious complications, especially among persons suffering with throat troubles. In the cause of pure air something should be done at once to relieve the situation."

"Nine-tenths of the so-called colds that are so prevalent are undoubtedly due to the dust in the air," said Dr. Frank W. Miller. "More than half the population seems to be sneezing and coughing. Heads are heavy and eyes are inflamed, and the general opinion is that we are experiencing an epidemic of influenza. The fact is, however, that the dust is responsible for most of the trouble. Lay the dust and the wheezing and coughing will stop. The weather is not at fault. It is the frightful condition of the streets."

"We sweep our store three times a day," said C. M. Staub, "and yet are unable to keep it in a presentable conditions. Dust sifts into our stock despite our efforts, and there seems no way to keep it out. It's outrageous, and an imposition on business men in addition to the discomfort it causes to tourists and citizens. Now they have started to repave Broadway, and the situation will be impaired instead of improved. When the new pavement is laid some system should be adopted whereby the surface can be kept clean. The present method of sweeping is useless. Why can't the streets be flushed? Is water too scarce? There seems to be no question but that is the only way in which paved streets can be cleaned properly. Why, even the wholesale district of San Francisco, with its pavement of granite blocks laid on soft soil, is cleaner than the best paved street in Los Angeles."

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TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

Driven from his home by the cold weather and the scarcity of coal, John Marsellus, a Syracuse, N. Y., manufacturer, is passing the winter in Southern California. At present he is staying with his family in Pasadena. At one time he was president of the Chamber of Commerce of Syracuse, and yesterday he was an interested caller on Secretary Wiggins of the local bureau of publicity and promotion.

"The coal situation in the East," said Mr. Marsellus, "was very grave when I left there a short time ago, and there has been little improvement since that time. Although the weather was freezing, it was impossible to obtain coal in sufficient quantities to assure comfort, and there was great suffering, especially among poor people. The situation in New York, Chicago and other large cities was even more serious than at places in the interior. Coal was doled out to us at the rate of half a ton at a time, and it was only by practicing the utmost economy that we were able to get along at all. "The trouble is due, of course, to the great coal strike, and there is no assurance that there will not be a recurrence of the same difficulty. Untold public suffering because of the scarcity of coal has followed the privations to which the families of the miners were subjected at the time the struggle was in progress.

"There is only one solution of the difficulty, that I see," said Mr. Marsellus. "That is to cause the labor organizations to incorporate, and thus become responsible for their acts. As long as they have no responsibility they will continue in their present methods. If they were made liable to a certain degree, they undoubtedly would be more careful, and we should have fewer strikes and less suffering."

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THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph.

NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty-three cars of California oranges and a few lemons sold today. Navels, mostly of good color and quality, buying good, but weather very cold, 15 deg. above, causing slight reduction in prices. Navels about steady; lemons in very good demand, mostly coarse and ordinary. Thirty cars in sight. Expect offering tomorrow on account of cold weather. Prices: Navels, fancy, large 2.76; regulars, 2.60; fancy, large, 2.55; regulars, 2.44; choice, large, 2.60; regulars, 2.35; fancy, small, 2.72; regulars, 2.46; fancy, small, 2.45; regulars, 2.34; fancy, small, 1.71; regulars, 1.74; fancy Jaffas, small, 1.96; regulars ... Choice lemons, large, 1.90; ... 2.29; extra fancy, Tangerines, half boxes, fair quality, 1.04; ... Palermo lemons arrived; ... and barrels of Jamaica oranges tomorrow.

BOSTON PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The weather was extremely cold today, the thermometer averaging about 10 deg. below zero. There were fourteen cars of oranges offered this morning; nine sold. Market was a little weaker on account of cold weather, as no fruit could be moved today.

Arrivals are increasing. There are now thirty-seven cars on tracks; five cars in the auction-room. Prices today were as follows: Navels, extra fancy, large, 2.83; fancy, large, 2.49; regulars, 2.52; choice, large, 2.40.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eleven cars of California oranges were advertised for sale here today, but the weather was too cold to unload. One car, however, which was withdrawn from Friday's sale and sealed to the auction store averaged as follows: Large-size navels, 1.30; regulars, 1.89. This fruit was of very inferior quality. Two thousand boxes of Florida oranges were sold and averaged 2.80.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Jan. 19, 1903.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. The clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse today were $1,001,727.49, same day a year ago $803,071.83.

INDUSTRIAL PUSH. Ex-Comptroller ..., in an address to the Illinois Manufacturers' Association: "... of great business success ... enterprise. I care not ... undertaking be a single ... of that of many bound in ... If the foundation principle of this organization is to protect ... the business interests of manufacturers in Illinois, you cannot do it than by creating an ... public opinion that will ... impossible for men to find ... in a position where they ... upon questions of a business ... without the possession ... and unquestioned honesty ... intelligence."

COMMERCIAL.

... AND SALT. Pomona ... can no longer aggregate ... cars and ship in by the ... The card put out by the ... Growers' Association yesterday ... a new rule to the salt ... as follows: "Car lots may be ... among several dealers in all ... territory, outside of Los ... and Pomona."

... The N. K. Fairbank ... estimates the visible supply of lard in the United States, ... that therefor to have ... on the 1st inst., ... December 1, 1902, ... January 1, 1902, 169,- ... date in 1901, 287,707 ... 302,096 tierces on ...

... The Cincinnati Price ... the hog slaughter ... year 1902 at 21,100,000, ... other years, as follows:

... CREAM UP. Following in ... of Fig cream, Lily started ... yesterday, and was marked ... in case lots all around. ... cream does not now appear ... list of the Wholesale Grocers' ...

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments of citrus fruit from Southern California on Saturday and Sunday ... carloads of oranges and 19 ... of lemons. The total for the ... from November 1, 1902, to date, is ... carloads, of which number 490 carloads were lemons.

... TO SAVE COAL. It is understood that Bridge Commissioner ..., of New York, has discovered a means whereby the consumption of coal can be reduced without ... total of heat energy. ... consists of sprinkling the ... before it is placed in the furnace, ... solution of common salt, per... of potash and another ... powder. This process is said ... reduced the consumption of ... from 25 to 50 per cent. In ... of soft coal, the volume of ... is reduced and the burning ... prolonged.

MORNING CALL. The Produce Exchange of Los Angeles has renewed ... regular morning call. The hour ... 11 a.m. daily.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

... very firm; scarcity of supplies ... weather speculation rife.

... ranch eggs, select, firm at 30 ... with sales reported at 1 cent ... Supplies yesterday more abundant ... market hardly different from ...

... unchanged; firm.

... onions and vegetables in ... demand; firm for good stocks.

... very firm; upward tendency. ... fruits reported a little more ...

... wanted.

... in fair supply; cleaned up. ... plentiful; demand good.

... firm.

... changes are to be noted in ... quotation list.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

...—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, ...; Coast creamery, ...; dairy, 42½; ...

...—Per doz., fresh ranch, 28@30; cold ...; fresh eastern, largely ...

...—California, Anchor, per lb., 17½; ... Young America, per lb., 18½; Cal. ... hand, per lb., 19½; Coast, full ... domestic Swiss, per ... Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, per doz., 9.00; Martin's New York ...; Wisconsin, full cream, ...

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

...—Per cwt., Early Rose, seed, 1.75; ... Burbanks, ...; Nevada Burbanks, ...; Highland, ...; ... Nevada, fancy, ...

...—Beets, per cwt., ...; cabbage, ...; carrots, ... per cwt.; green ..., per lb., ...; dry chiles, per string, ...; parsnips, ...; radishes, per doz., ...; string beans, ...; turnips, ...; tomatoes, per box, 1.00@1.75; cucumbers, ...; summer squash, ...; celery, ...; egg plant, per ...; cauliflower, ... per doz.; watercress, per doz.; spinach, 14@18 per doz.

Beans and Lentils.

...—Pink, per cwt., 3.25@3.50; Lady ...; small white, 3.75@4.00; ...; Garbanzas, 2.75@3.50; field ...; 3.00@7.50; horse beans, 3.50.

Sugar.

... prices are based on sacks. Bbls ... and boxes 10c per 100 lbs. ... net cash. Beet sugar, ...; cubes, 4.85; powdered, 4.60; confectioners' A, 5.10; extra C, 4.60; Golden C, 4.50; D, 4.40.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box choice to fancy, 1.50@2.00; green, 75@1.25.

ORANGES—Navels, per box, 1.50@2.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

LIMES—Per 100, 50@1.25.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 1.25@1.75.

PERSIMMONS—Per lb., ...

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@6.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 12.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 8@10; fancy, 14@15.

RASPBERRIES—Per box, 20@25.

GUAVAS—Per box, 10@12.

WINTER CASABAS—Per doz., 2.00@2.50.

PEACHES—Per box, 1.50@2.25.

APPLES—Per box, 1.00@1.75.

PEARS—Per box, 1.25@1.75.

GRAPES—Per box, 2.25@3.00.

OLIVES—Per gal., green, 75@90 black, 85@1.00.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@10; apricots, 9@11; peaches, fancy, 7@9; choice, 6@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 9@10; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@4; fancy, 6@9; dates, 5@9; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 6@20.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.00@2.00; loose, 6¼@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 5@7¼.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 12@13½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils, 11; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6¼; roasted, 8¼; California, choice raw, 5@5¼; California, fancy raw, 5¾; California, roasted, 7@7¼; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 11¼@12½; hardshell, first grade, 10@11; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14¼; California, 9¼; Winchester, medium, 14½; do., small, 15; Premium, 15¼; skinned, 14½@15; Gold Band, 13½; mild cured, 14.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 11¾@13½; short clears 12¾; clear backs, 12¼@12¾.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 14¼@16¼.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 15¼; Winchester, medium, 15½; light, 16; Empire, 17¼; Premium, 18¼; Diamond C, 16¼; do., ...; Gold Band, 19¼.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12¼; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8¾@9¾; suetene, 9¾; Rex, tierces, 12; White Label, tierces, 12¼; vegetole, 10¼.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.60@4.80; northern, 4.90; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.00; lower grades, 3.00@4.75; graham flour, 2.20.

ROLLED BARLEY—1.25.

CRACKED CORN—1.40.

BRAN—1.20.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@10; extracted, 6@8.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@7.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.00@4.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.50.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7½@7¾.

VEAL—8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 8@12; lamb, 10.

PORK—Per lb., 9¼.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 13@13½ per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@12; for turkeys, 16@13; geese, 11@13.

COLD STORAGE—Turkeys, 20@22 per lb.; hens, 16@17 per lb.; ducks, 14@16 per lb.

Game.

GAME—Per doz., ducks, canvasback, 5.00@7.00; mallards, 5.00@6.00; sprigs, 3.50@4.00; widgeons, 2.00@2.50; teal, 2.25@2.75. Geese—Honkers, 7.00@8.00; gray, 4.50@5.00; white, 2.50@3.00; doves, 1.25@1.50; cottontails, 1.25@1.50; rabbits, 75@1.00; hares, 1.25@1.50.

Hay and Grain.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.35@1.45.

CORN—1.25@1.35.

HAY—Barley, 10.00@14.00; alfalfa, 12.00@13.00; tame oat, 12.00@14.00; wheat, 11.00@12.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.40@1.55.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The scant orders to buy stocks which were found in brokers' offices this morning confirmed the impression of the indifference of the public to the present stock market. In periods of active speculation, the Monday morning market is the most animated of the week, as a result of the intervening period of idleness, and accumulation of mail orders, and also because of the natural tendency to enter upon new activities with the turn of a week. While today's opening declines failed to show any buying demand from outside sources, there was no eagerness to sell stocks. The consequence was the same listless and indeterminate movement that was increasingly manifest last week. The speculative pools also desisted from activity since last week's transactions had pretty well demonstrated the futility of their efforts to attract a general demand for stocks. The Saturday bank statement, while favorable on its face, gave evidence of the requirements on the money market resulting from the Reading deal, and was accepted as a warning that the resources of the money market as they become replenished are likely to be drawn upon by syndicates for the pushing of projects held in abeyance. The realization of these deferred projects overhanging the market had a depressing effect, in contrast to their highly stimulating influence a few months ago. This prospect of syndicate requirements for money was reinforced in its influence by a somewhat firmer tone in the money market, and an advance in sterling exchange towards the gold export point. The rise in sterling exchange at Paris served to neutralize the advance here, but the conviction is general that an outward movement of gold this winter is probable. The announcement of the terms of the coming Transvaal loan and the probable requirements for the Panama Canal purchase are confirmatory to this view. Of immediate developments the report of car shortage and inability to move freight offered was not a favorable influence. The resulting delay in the grain movement is likely to affect the return flow of currency. The shutting down of work on account of coal shortage was also accepted as unfavorable. Secretary Shaw's order requiring the re-substitution of government bonds for other securities deposited against government deposits was regarded as making necessary a contraction in note circulation by the banks. Amalgamated Copper was affected by a surmise of new steps of contending interests in the copper trade. The rise in Great Northern preferred was supposed to be connected with the return to the East of the president of the road. Missouri Pacific was helped by an increase in net earnings for December. The whole market gave way in the late selling movement and closed easy. Rock Island led the decline, but losses of 1 to 1⅝ were made by many of the leading stocks. Bonds were irregular; total sales, $2,830,000. United States 2s registered, advanced ¼; the 3s registered, ¼; and the old 4s registered, ½ per cent.

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Close: Money on call was steady at 4@5 per cent.; closed offered at 4 per cent. Time money was easier at 4½ per cent. for sixty days; ninety days, 4¾ per cent.; six months, 4½@4⅝ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8695@4.87 for demand and at 4.8370@4.8375 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84½ and 4.87½@4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83@4.84. Bar silver, 47⅞. Mexican dollars, 37½. Government bonds strong; railroads irregular.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Today's statement of the treasury balance shows: Available cash balance, $212,741,663; gold, $102,830,070.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	87⅞	Texas & Pacific	40⅝
Atchison pfd	99⅝	T., St. L. & W.	30
Baltimore & Ohio	101	T., St. L. pfd	41
B. & O. pfd	94	Union Pacific	101⅞
Canadian Pacific	135⅝	Union Pac. pfd	92⅝
Canada Southern	71	Wabash	29
Ches. & Ohio	52⅝	Wabash pfd	45
Chicago & Alton	35	W. & L. E.	25⅝
C. & Alton pfd	75⅝	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	35
C., I. & L.	47	Wis. Central	26⅝
C., I. & L. pfd	80	Wis. Cen. pfd	52⅝
C. & E. Illinois	208	Express Co's—	
Chicago & G. W.	27⅝	Adams	200
C. & G. W. "A"	88	American	229
C. & G. W. "B"	41⅝	United States	142
Chicago & N. W.	225⅝	Wells-Fargo	220
Chicago Terminal	19	Miscellaneous—	
Chicago Ter. pfd	38⅝	Amal. Copper	69⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	95	Am. Car & F.	40⅝
Colo. Southern	29⅝	Am. C. & F. pfd	90⅝
Colo. So. 1st pfd	70	Am. Linseed Oil	17⅝
Colo. So. 2d pfd	43	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	43
Del. & Hudson	172	Am. S. & R.	44⅝
D., L. & W.	271	Am. S. & R. pfd	93
Denver & R. G.	40⅝	Anaconda M. Co.	97
D. & R. G. pfd	88	Brooklyn R. T.	67⅝
Erie	39⅝	Colo. Fuel & I.	73
Erie 1st pfd	71⅝	Con. Gas	216⅝
Erie 2d pfd	57	Cont'l Tob. pfd	118¼
Great N. pfd	200	Gen. Electric	196
Hocking Valley	104⅝	Hocking Coal	19⅞
Hock. Val. pfd	97½	Int'l Paper	18
Illinois Central	146½	Int'l Paper pfd	72¾
Iowa Central	45	Int'l Power	71⅝
Iowa Cen. pfd	74	Laclede Gas	75
Lake Erie & W.	50⅝	Nat'l Biscuit	45⅝
L. E. & W. pfd	113	Nat'l Lead	29⅝
Louis. & Nash	127	North American	117
Manhattan L.	148⅝	Pacific Coast	69
Met. St. Ry.	140⅝	Pacific Mail	40
Mexican Central	28⅝	People's Gas	103⅝
Mexican Nat'l	19⅝	P. Steel Car	64
Minn. & St. L.	108	P. S. Car pfd	90½
Missouri Pacific	112⅝	Pull. Palace Car	232
M., K. & Texas	28⅝	Republic Steel	21⅝
M., K. & T. pfd	61¼	Rep. Steel pfd	78⅝
N. J. Central	185⅝	Sugar	130⅝
N. Y. Central	151½	Tenn. Coal & I.	67½
Norfolk & W.	74⅝	Union Bag & P.	14⅝
N. & W. pfd	90	Union Bag pfd	75
Ontario & W.	33⅝	U. S. Leather	13⅝
Pennsylvania	154⅝	U. S. L. pfd	90½
Reading	63⅛	U. S. Rubber	16½
Reading 1st pfd	86	U. S. R. pfd	53½
Reading 2d pfd	76	U. S. Steel	36⅝
St. Louis & S. F.	78	U. S. Steel pfd	89
St. L. 1st pfd	79	Western Union	90
St. L. 2d pfd	73⅝	Am. Loc. Co.	29⅝
St. Louis, S. W.	28	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	92⅝
St. L., S. W. pfd	62	K. C. Southern	35
St. Paul	178⅛	K. C. So. pfd	59⅝
St. Paul pfd	192½	Rock Island	47⅞
Southern Pacific	65⅝	Rock Isl. pfd	81
So. Railway	35⅝		
So. Railway pfd	95		

Total sales for the day, 329,000 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	108⅝	L. & N. Un. 4s	102½
U. S. R. 2s coup.	109	Mex. Cen. 4s	77
U. S. 3s reg.	107	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	26
U. S. 3s coup.	107⅝	M. & St. L. 4s	103⅝
U. S. n. 4s reg.	134½	M., K. & T. 4s	99⅝
U. S. n. 4s coup.	135½	M., K. & T. 2ds	81⅝
U. S. old 4s reg.	110⅝	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	108
U. S. old 4s coup.	109⅝	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	135⅝
U. S. 5s reg.	102⅝	N. P. 4s	105⅝
U. S. 5s coup.	104	N. P. 3s	72⅝
Atchison, Gen. 4s	102⅝	N. & W. Con. 4s	101⅝
Atchison, Adj. 4s	92½	Reading Gen. 4s	17⅝
B. & O. 4s	102½	St. L. & I. M. 5s	114¼
B. & O. 3½s	95⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	96⅝
B. & O. Conv. 4s	105	St. L., S. W. 1sts	97
Can So. 2ds	109⅝	St. L., S. W. 2ds	83
Cen. of Ga. 5s	10[illegible]	S. A. & A. P. 4s	85
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	76⅝	So. Pacific 4s	91⅝
C. & O. 4½s	106½	So. Railway 5s	117⅝
C. & A. 3½s	78½	T. & P. 1sts	116⅝
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	94⅝	T., St. L. & W.	79⅝
C. M. & St. P. 4s	112	Union Pacific 4s	103½
C. & N. W. 7s	131¼	U. P. Conv. 4s	105
C. R. I. & P. 4s	107⅝	Wabash 1sts	117
C. C. C. & St. L.	101	Wabash 2ds	111
Chicago Ter. 4s	85	Wabash Deb. B.	77½
Colo. & So. 4s	94⅝	West Shore 4s	110⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	99	W. & L. E. 4s	92⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	99⅝	Wis. Cen. 4s	91⅝
Erie Gen. 4s	86⅝	Cont'l Tob. 4s	67⅝
Fort Worth ... 1sts	111¼	C. F. & I. 5s	91
Hock. Val. 4½s	109		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel pfd	88⅝
Call loans	5@6	West'house Com	103
Time loans	5@6	Mining—	
Bonds—		Adventure	14⅝
Gas 1st	102	Allouez	3⅝
Mex. Cen. 4s	75	Amalgamated	69⅝
Railroads—		Bingham	31⅝
Atchison	87⅝	C. & Hecla	535@540
Atchison pfd	99⅝	Centennial	25
Boston & Albany	257	Copper Range	64⅝
Boston & Maine	191⅝	Dominion Coal	130
Boston Elevated	153	Franklin	10⅝
N. Y. N. H. & H.	221	Isle Royale	13
Fitchburg pfd	141⅝	Mohawk	50⅝
Union Pacific	101⅝	Old Dominion	18⅝
Mexican Central	28⅝	Osceola	61
Miscellaneous—		Parrot	27⅝
Am. Sugar	130	Quincy	105
Am. Sugar pfd	121⅝	Santa Fe Copper	2⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	152⅝	Tamarack	159
Dom. I. & S.	57⅝	Trimountain	99
Gen. Electric	196	Trinity	11⅝
Mass. Electric	36	United States	22⅝
Mass. Elec. pfd	94	Victoria	5⅝
United Fruit	109⅝	Winona	4
U. S. Steel	36⅝	Wolverine	64⅝

London Silver.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Consols, 93; bar silver, 21⅞.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—The May wheat delivery opened ⅛ o ¼ to a shade lower today, at 78⅝@78¾, an irregular condition brought about by liberal selling by a prominent house on one side, and an array of bullish news on the other. The bulletin board showed the world's shipments 2,000,000 bushels shy of what had been expected, and comparatively little of it coming from Russia and the Danube; strong cables, a decrease in the quantity of wheat on passage of 648,000 bushels, and smaller Liverpool stocks. These conditions early sent the price to 79⅛. Profit taking caused a reaction early to 79. The operations of a certain long, together with reports of a stiff demand for flour and a decrease in the visible supply of 383,000 bushels, became influential. The operator mentioned was a heavy buyer, and accumulated an estimated line of 2,000,000 bushels. Rejected selling answered the tempting price, but the market rose steadily to 79⅛ and closed ⅛c over Saturday at 79⅛@79¼. The market during the afternoon was broad and excited. The corn market was heavy most of the day, under the influence of favorable weather, liberal country acceptances of Saturday's bids and the absence of any particular demand for the cash commodity. May closed a shade down at 43⅝. Oats held steady throughout the day, though sentiment was inclined to be bearish. May closed a shade lower at 33⅝@33⅝. The provisions market was quiet. The opening was lower in sympathy with a decline in hog prices, but the wheat strength saved the market from a further decline, and even resulted in a slight rally. May pork closed 2½c lower; lard unchanged, and ribs 5c lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
January	75⅝
July	74⅝@74⅞
May	79⅛@79¼
Corn, No. 2—	
January	46⅝
May	43⅝
July	42⅝
Oats, No. 2—	
January	34
May	33⅝@33⅝
July	32⅝

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was strong. No. 1 spring wheat, 76@79; No. 3, 71@79; No. 2 red, 76@77; No. 2 corn, 46⅝; No. 2 yellow, 46⅝; No. 2 oats, 33¾@34; No. 3 white, 34@36⅝; good feeding barley, 45@47; fair to choice malting, 45@56; No. 1 flax seed, 1.13; No. 1 northwestern, 1.24; prime timothy seed, 3.30; mess pork, per bbl., 17.75; lard, per 100 lbs., 10.17½; short ribs, sides (loose), 9.77½@9.80; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 8.77½@8.87½; short clear sides (boxed,) 9.25@9.37½; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30; clover, contract grade, 11.30.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	13,500	6,700
Wheat, bushels	73,400	24,000
Corn, "	261,000	164,900
Oats, "	282,400	176,200
Rye, "	6,700	9,000
Barley, "	60,000	24,400

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was easy; creamery, 17@25; dairy, 17@22; eggs, slow, 26; cheese, quiet, 13@14.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Some business in tin for spot, and futures was reported today. Spot closed steady at 28.40@28.55. London was lower by 5s, with spot at £129 and futures at £129 5s. Copper declined 6s 3d in London to £53 2s 6d for spot and £53 7s 6d for futures. Locally, it was a shade higher. Standard was quoted at 11.62½; lake at 12.35@12.50; electrolytic, 12.20@12.40 and casting at 12.00@12.12. Lead and spelter nominal all around. Iron was quiet and more or less nominal; warrants unchanged.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The market for evaporated apples shows fair activity, with fancy fruit held a shade higher. Common 4@5; prime 5¼@5½; choice, 5¾@6¼; fancy, 7@8. Spot prunes are in moderate jobbing request, and rule about steady at 3@7½ for all grades. Apricots are quiet; boxes quoted at 9¼@9¾, and bags at 7¼@10. Peaches remain quiet, but steady and unchanged, at 12@18 for peeled and 6¾@8½ for unpeeled.

Visible Supply.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, January 17, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 48,297,000 bushels; decrease, 888,000 bushels; corn, 7,066,000 bushels, increase 1,000 bushels; oats, 4,196,000 bushels; decrease, 34,100; rye, 1,071,000 bushels; increase, 3000 bushels; barley, 2,362,000 bushels; decrease 141,000 bushels.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Butter: Receipts, 4300 packages; steady; State dairy, 19@23½; creamery, extra, 27; June creamery, choice, 19@26; Eggs, receipts 7000 packages; easier; State and Pennsylvania, 29; western, poor to fancy, 20@27.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Wheat: Spot firm; options closed ⅛ to ⅜c higher; March closed ...; May closed 82⅝; July closed 79⅝. Mess ...; firm; wool steady; hides, steady; coffee, spot quiet; sugar, raw nominal; refined steady.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Sugar: Raw, nominal; fair refining, 3⅜; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅞; molasses sugar, 3⅛; refined steady; crushed, 5.35; powdered, 4.85; granulated, 4.75.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Coffee, futures closed quiet, 5 points lower. February, 4.20; March, 4.35; May, 4.50@4.55; June, 4.60; September, 4.90; November, 4.95; December, 5.05.

Grain at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 19.—Close: Wheat, December, no sales; March, 6s 3¼d; May, 6s 2⅛d.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 19.—Wheat: Walla Walla, 73; Blue ..., 82; Valley, 77.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) Jan. 19.—Wheat, 1⅛c higher; Blue Stem, 85½; Club, 84⅞.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Jan. 19.—Credit balances, 1.54; certificates, no bid.

Hops at London.

LIVERPOOL, Hops at London: Pacific Coast firm, £4 15s to £7 7s.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

OMAHA CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA, Jan. 19.—Cattle: Receipts 3000; steady to 10c lower; native steers, 3.30@5.60; cows and heifers, 3.00@4.20; canners, 1.75@3.00; stockers and feeders, 2.80@4.20; calves, 4.00@6.25; bulls, stags, etc., 2.50@3.80. Hogs, receipts 6000; 5 to 10c lower; heavy, 6.40@6.55; mixed, 6.35@6.40; light, 6.25@6.40; pigs, 5.25@6.10; bulk of sales, 6.35@6.40. Sheep—Receipts 6000; steady; fed muttons, 4.25@5.10; wethers, 4.00@4.90; ewes, 3.50@4.25; common and stockers, 1.00@3.25; lambs, 4.50@6.10.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 19.—Cattle, receipts 8000, including 3000 Texans, weak to 10c lower; native steers, 2.50@5.65; Texas and Indian steers, 2.75@3.75; Texas cows, 2.00@3.00; native cows and heifers, 1.50@3.90; stockers and feeders, 2.00@4.00; bulls, 2.00@3.40; calves, 2.50@7.50; western steers, 2.75@5.00; western cows, 2.00@3.60. Hogs, receipts 4000; 10c lower; bulk of sales, 6.35@6.50; heavy, 6.45@6.60; packers, 6.25@6.40; medium, 6.30@6.50; light, 6.00@6.35; yorkers, 6.25@6.35; pigs, 5.30@6.00. Sheep, receipts 2000; steady; muttons, 3.00@4.10; lambs, 3.90@5.60; range wethers, 3.00@4.60; ewes, 3.00@4.20.

Denver Live-stock Market.

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 19.—Cattle, receipts 600; weak; beef steers, 3.75@4.75; cows, 2.50@3.00; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.50@4.25; stockers, do, 3.00@4.25; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.00. Hogs, receipts 500; market firm; light packers, 6.50@6.60; mixed and heavy, 6.45@6.50. Sheep, receipts 300; firm; good fat muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@5.25.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Cattle, receipts 30,000; market 10@15c lower; good to prime steers, 4.75@6.00; poor to medium, 3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.40; cows, 1.40@4.40; heifers, 2.00@4.75; canners, 1.40@2.50; bulls, 2.00@4.35; calves, 3.00@7.75; Texas fed steers, 3.50@4.50. Hogs, receipts today 54,000; tomorrow, 40,000; left over, 5000; 10c lower; mixed and butchers, 6.25@6.65; good to choice heavy, 6.60@6.75; rough heavy, 6.30@6.55; light, 5.80@6.15; bulk of sales, 6.30@6.50. Sheep, receipts 25,000; sheep and lambs slow; good to choice wethers, 4.25@4.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.25@4.25; western sheep, 4.25@4.15; native lambs, 4.25@6.00.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Wheat strong; barley easier; oats steadier; hay firmer; bran, middlings and beans firm; butter steady; eggs easy; cheese unchanged; oranges easy; lemons and limes dull; fancy potatoes firm; onions steady; green peas easier; string beans firmer; eggplant and tomatoes quiet; choice poultry quiet.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 1.50@4.65; bakers' extras, 4.10@4.20; Oregon and Washington, 3.50@4.00.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.40@1.46¼; milling, 1.47½@1.50.

Barley—Feed, 1.16⅞@1.18⅞; brewing, 1.20@1.22½; Chevalier, 1.55@1.60.

Oats—Red, 1.22½@1.32½; white, 1.22½@1.45; black, 1.17½@1.30.

Hay—Wheat, 11.00@14.50; wheat and oat, 11.00@14.50; oat, wild, 9.00@11.50; barley, 9.50@10.50; alfalfa, 9.00@11.50; clover, 7.50@8.50; straw, 50@82½.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 75@1.05; river Burbanks, 30@50; Salinas Burbanks, 90@1.15; river reds, 30@40; Merced sweets, 1.50@1.60; Early Rose, 1.10@1.25.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 23.00@24.50; mixed feed, 18.50@19.50; rolled barley, 25.00@26.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.45@2.70; Lima, 4.20@4.40; small white, 3.25@3.40; large white, 3.15@3.35.

Various—Green peas, 3@4½; string beans, 8@12½; egg plant, 10@12½; tomatoes, 1.50@2.50; summer squash, 1.00@1.25; garlic, 2½@3.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.50; common apples, 40; pears, common, 50; fancy, 1.15; persimmons, 35@75.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 1.00@2.50; seedlings, 75@1.25; Mexican limes, 3.50@4.00; common California lemons, 75; fancy, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 75@2.25; pineapples, 2.00@2.60.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 31; seconds, 29; fancy dairy, 29; seconds, 26.

Cheese—California cheddar, 14@16; eastern, 15@17; Young America, 15½@16½.

Eggs—Ranch, 30@32½; store, 27½@29; eastern, 26@27½.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 17@18; dressed turkeys, 20@22; old roosters, 5.00@6.50; young roosters, 6.00@6.50; small broilers, 3.50@3.50; large broilers, 3.50@4.00; fryers, 4.50@5.00; hens, 5.00@6.50; ducks, old, 5.00@5.50; ducks, young, 6.00@7.00; geese, 2.00@2.25; goslings, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.00@1.25; pigeons, young, 2.00@2.50.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Receipts, flour, 9000; barley, 6000; corn, centals, 25; onions, sacks, 1580; middlings sacks, 210; straw, tons, 3; hides, number 411; wheat, 42,904; oats, 1180; beans, sacks, 4200; bran, sacks, 3450; hay, tons 915; hops, bales, 95; wine, gallons, 46,500; potatoes, sacks, 4300.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Silver bars, 47⅞; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 10; telegraph, 12½.

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Tragedy of the Cattle Range.

Probably 400,000,000 acres of the public domain are at present fit only for pasturage. This does not mean that the soil lacks fertility, which most of it does not, but that the region is partially arid, the average rainfall being so distributed through the year that while it suffices for range purposes, it is in some seasons not quite sufficient for farming. Much of this territory can be made fit for farms and homes, but there are in the United States many hundred thousand acres which will be better adapted to grazing than to farming.

That the life-supporting power of the government pastures is rapidly declining there can be no doubt. The high price of beef is not due entirely to the rapacity of packers. Public pasture is dying out. Areas which half a century ago grew vast herds of buffalo, antelope and deer, and subsequently even more immense troops of cattle, are now almost a waste. Still ampler domains are approaching the same fate.

The range has been abused. Too many cattle and sheep have been kept upon it. For years "free grass" was to be had everywhere. Old settlers declare that when they first saw prairies which now appear barren as Sahara, grass there was from one to three feet high—this not only near water, but on the sides and tops of hills, and not alone in favored seasons, but usually. Such luxuriance was not aboriginal. It developed with and after the extinction of the wild herbivora. But these, when most numerous, never cropped the prairie as is now done. Indians and the great carnivora seem to have nicely dressed the balance between herbage and herbivor so as to keep the prairie perpetually clad and whole. The "tragedy of the range" opened only with civilization.

A cowman, locating anywhere, assumed "range rights" to all he could see. When a second came, there was, as a rule, a peaceful division, reminding of Abraham and Lot, water and grass being abundant for both. In like manner the two shared with number three, the three with four, and so on. The sheepmen and the "nester,"—the man with a hoe—had not yet appeared. Occupants were hardly ever owners. The fees of the ranges belonged to the government, or to railways, counties, schools, or private individuals, but neither the owners nor their agents ever came on the ground. It was the vaquero's inning, and he scored very successfully till he was "out."—[Review of Reviews.

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Real Estate	1,104.56	Earnings and Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Advances (secured)	1,575.27	Reserve Fund	[illegible]
Accrued Earnings	1,606.70	Matured Coupons	[illegible]
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00	Incomplete Loans	[illegible]
Sundry Accounts	531.21	Bills Payable	[illegible]
Cash on Hand and in Bank	3,169.50	Miscellaneous Accounts	[illegible]
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SILK INDUSTRY.

FRANKLIN ALLEN, secretary of the Silk Association of America, in reviewing the conditions existing in the principal consuming markets of the world, says Bradstreet's, remarks that "no sound basis exists in England, France, Switzerland, Germany or Italy for a speculative movement in raw-silk prices. The European manufacturers are not warranted in large buying merely for stock accumulation. The uncertainties of the silk business forbid great accumulations of stock when buying markets are sluggish. The goods market abroad is on a conservative basis at the present writing, and may properly be classed as ordering for immediate requirements only, orders for future delivery of goods not being specially active. In view of these conditions, it seems strange that the price of raw silk has advanced as much as it has since the opening of the new silk season in July.

"In explanation, it may be said that the organization of the business on the factory basis employing power looms exclusively has more and more adherents every year in Europe. Improved fabrics of lower cost are the incentive to this system, based on its success in the United States. One essential element for complete success by these organizations is, however, that the mills shall not stop their production. When business is poor the owners continue to run them in hopes of better times or in expectation of a loss rather than stop the looms. A stoppage would scatter their operatives and derange their organization. The consumption of raw materials goes on, therefore, incessantly under this system, the owners being obliged to work for 'stock' and not for immediate delivery.

"The industrial fact is that the silk industry has for several years been developing in all countries where it is successfully established. This is clearly shown by the increasing supply of raw silk for the silk industries of the world, which averages 4,413,108 pounds more, annually, in the past five years than in the preceding five years, seasons 1894-98, being an increase of over 14 per cent. in the supply. As compared with the five-year period, 1889-93, the increase is 9,581,572 pounds annually, or, say, an increase of over 36 per cent. Fabrics of which silk is a component material of chief value are, therefore, having a wider distribution than ever before, and the use of silk is entering more and more into the requirements of mankind, not only for articles of adornment and art, but in the commoner everyday uses of the people. The limited stocks of raw silk at all distributing points compared with large quantities almost universally carried, say, ten to twelve years ago, as, for instance, in the London docks, is convincing testimony to the increasing consumption.

"Nowhere is this tendency to universal use more strongly marked than in the United States, which in prosperous times is a larger consumer of silk goods than any other country in the world. The generally favorable conditions of the consuming market of the United States may have been the chief of these three factors causing an advance in the price of our raw materials. The silk manufacturers of Europe, whose purchases of raw materials are very large in the aggregate, undoubtedly affect the price of raw silk. It is a generally recognized commercial fact, however, that business is reckoned by them as good or bad, according to whether the American demand is good or bad.

"Our local conditions being, therefore, highly favorable for silk fabrics in all the principal eastern cities, and general business in the Western States being reported as entirely satisfactory, we may anticipate a good volume of business for the spring, including Chicago and the cities of the Middle West. In no portion of our country are our domestic silks more popular than in the Western States, which are now enjoying a period of great development.

"Furthermore, in view of the advance in raw-silk prices already reached and the possibility—yea, probability—of a sharper advance within the next three months, and in view of the present popularity of silk fabrics generally, it is altogether likely that prices of broad silks, ribbons, spool and skein silks will soon be advanced to a parity of raw silk cost and the other increased expenses of the business. The higher qualities of ribbons are now in great demand by the millinery trade. The velvet situation is most satisfactory, both here and abroad."

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

Shipped to Black Sea From U. S.

More than 50,000 tons of agricultural machinery will be shipped to the Black Sea this season. This will represent an increase of about 40 per cent. over the direct exports made to that part of the world during 1902. The machinery, comprising harvesters, reapers, mowers, rakes, etc., will be carried by six specially chartered vessels, four of which will sail from New Orleans with nearly 27,000 tons in all, while from New York two boats will be dispatched with a total cargo of about 15,000 tons. The Levant Line steamers sailing from this port will carry the balance. The chief reason why New Orleans has been chosen as the port for the export of the larger portion of this season's agricultural machinery intended for South Russia is because the rates from Chicago—from which all harvesters, etc., intended to be shipped via the southern port for the South Russia markets are turned out—to New York have been raised January 1 to 30 cents from 23 cents, at which figure such freight has been carried between these points for the last seven years. The Illinois Central will carry the bulk of the machinery from Chicago on its own tracks right down to the New Orleans docks. The freight to be handled via New York will come practically entirely from eastern manufacturers. Alfred H. Post & Co., Maritime building, are handling all the freight via New Orleans. They have chartered the Russian steamship, Baron Driesen, which will sail about January 15 with 8500 tons for Odessa and Novorossisk, to be followed by the Redvers Hoeken with 4500 tons about February 5. Two British vessels have also been engaged, one to leave around February 15 with 7500 tons, and another to sail with 6200 tons about a week later. From New York one vessel will sail about February 15 with 7000 tons, while the other will be dispatched around March 15 with a cargo of 8000 tons. The Levant liner Sitilia will leave Saturday with about 1500 tons, while agricultural machinery will also be carried to the Black Sea by the Seriphos, due to sail January 22, the Georgia, February 10, and the Milos, scheduled to leave about the end of February.

IN SIAM.

Opening for Enterprising Americans.

Hamilton King, Consul-General at Bangkok, writes that there is an opening for an American house for the sale of goods in Siam. Mr. King points out in a rather lengthy report on the subject that the electrical development of the city of Bangkok within the past decade has been wonderful. This is one of the lines the United States now controls, but with intelligent effort trade could be greatly increased. Flour, tinned goods, clocks, bicycles, sewing machines, lamps and cotton goods are some of the lines in which trade might be developed. Water supply and sewage systems are needed, and in the course of time the development of mines, forests and agricultural resources will open up a wide field. At present, says Mr. King, there is not in the whole of Siam one American house competent to consider a government contract to push American trade, or to represent American interests. Other nationalities are well represented; they are constantly seeking business, and are ready to consider openings at once. It cannot be expected that business will seek Americans in Siam any more than in other counries, and if it is sought out by the consular representative, the three months' delay necessary for a reply from America will jeopardize our interests. A house to succeed in Siam must be of a standing that is recognized by the business world—one having connections in America, and whose name is a guaranty for its undertakings. It must be strong enough to consider any business proposition that may come up before it, and be able to attend to the lighter lines of trade as well. Such a house could secure the confidence of the government of Siam at once and would be welcomed by it. To build up American trade in Siam, the house must be run on American lines and managed by American business men. We cannot expect to succeed in business by farming out our interests to men of nationalities that have conflicting interests to be advanced.

TEXTILE MILLS.

Last Year's Large Increase.

The Wool and Cotton Reporter's semi-annual statement of "textile-mill construction" shows that during the last six months of 1902 new textile enterprises were begun or proposed to the number of 198, as compared with 257 for the first half of the year, a decrease of 59 mills, and as compared with 202 for the last half of 1901. Textile-mill construction reached its height in 1900, and the following compilation shows the character of the movement in recent years, by six-month periods:

	Northern mills.	Southern mills.	Total mills.
December, 1902	91	107	198
June, 1902	92	165	257
December, 1901	95	107	202
June, 1901	75	186	261
December, 1900	45	180	224
June, 1900	105	202	307
December, 1899	78	105	183

The record for the last half of 1902 shows that the number of new southern mills is identical with that reported for the last six months of 1901, namely, 107, whereas, there was a decrease of four in the number of northern mills. Classed according to product, there was a decrease of ten in the number of new woolen mills, an increase of four in the number of new coton mills, an increase of one in the number of new knit-goods mills and an increase of one in the number of new mills classed under the head of miscellaneous. Pennsylvania leads all the other States in the number of new mills with twenty-six new enterprises to her credit, of which six are woolen, twelve knit-goods and eight miscellaneous (silk mills.) Next in order is South Carolina, with twenty-three mills, of which twenty are cotton and three knit-goods. North Carolina is third, with twenty-two, of which fourteen are cotton, seven knit-goods and one miscellaneous; then follow Virginia, with fifteen mills; New York and Georgia, with thirteen each; New Jersey, with ten, and Massachuseets, with nine.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

Interesting Industrial Information.

St. Petersburg's authorities now disinfect small coins.

An electric carpet-beater is to alleviate spring fever.

A day on the planet Eros is five and a half hours.

There is $300,000,000 of English money invested in submarine cables.

Ten-elevenths of the world's people are north of the equator.

Interurban lines of electrical cars are run without rails in Germany.

The number of cattle in Argentina is estimated at 25,000,000.

The great Canadian Soo electric-power plant is owned by New Yorkers.

Eight thousand, nine hundred women in London have been convicted of drunkenness more than ten times.

By sea San Francisco is farther from New York than it is from Liverpool.

During six months there were 127,340 cases of bubonic plague in India, with 98,579 deaths.

The Slaby-Arco (German) wireless telegraph system can be used only over distances comparatively short.

Nearly one-third of our immigrants are now from Southern Italy, the worst class in Europe.

It is anticipated that the world's supply of gold will be doubled in the next ten years.

Water-tube boilers are now made to stand a pressure of 350 pounds to the square inch.

Where lightning has struck once is the place, in that neighborhood, where it is most likely to strike again.

The increase in immigration over last year is 138,000, and the proportion of the dangerous and ignorant element is also larger.

The Clyde's mouth must be enlarged to permit the exit of the two big Cunard steamers now being built therein.

By 156 votes to 81, the Italian chamber has passed the bill for the municipalization of the public services.

The German army costs $168,000,000 a year.

The average family in the United States has 4.7 persons.

On all South London street railways the fare is now 1 cent.

The average railway employé will get $60 more in wages this year than he received in 1902.

A minister for the administration of navigation and commercial ports has been added by the Russian government.

The tubes in the boilers of a large ship would reach ten miles if placed end to end.

If the Mississippi Valley were as densely populated as Massachusetts it would have three hundred and fifty million inhabitants.

The recent increase in freight rates if maintained throughout the year will increase net railway earnings more than $150,000,000.

The standing timber of Canada equals that of the continent of Europe, and is nearly double that of the United States.

The Inspector-General shows that in London the losses from unsuccessful companies during the last ten years has exceeded $2,690,000,000.

The navy which gives England the supremacy of the seas costs $155,000,000 a year, or a little more than the United States pays in pensions.

Another step in the commercial annexation of Canada is the taking by New Yorkers of 5000 shares, at $250 each, in the Royal Bank of the Dominion.

The Indian Textile Journal points out in its current issue that the probability that American capitalists will look to India as a future field for industrial speculation is not far remote.

There were 607,000,000 passengers carried by the railroads of the United States in 1902—which means that, on an average, every man, woman and child rode eight times during the year.

It has been estimated by an expert in the employ of the government that agricultural machinery reduces the number of men employed to do a given amount of work to one-third, while manufacturing machinery reduces the number to one-fiftieth.

Stephen Jeans, an English authority, computes the cost of manufacturing hematite iron at the greatest steel centers of the world as follows: West Cumberland, England, $15.65 a ton; Westphalia, Germany, $13.50 a ton; Pittsburgh, $9.57 a ton. At Sydney, Nova Scotia, the cost is $7.45 a ton.

From the State library of Ohio 803 traveling libraries, containing 22,031 books, were sent out last year at a cost of $41,227.

"The whole theory and practice of restricting the spread of typhoid fever consists in doing just one thing—disinfecting."—Connecticut State Board of Health.

The combination aeroplane and balloon in which Stanley Spencer traveled thirty miles to and fro over London is the most successful of the aerial machines.

The electrical development of the city of Bangkok during the last ten years has been wonderful. The Siam Electricity Company, Limited, has a capital of $800,000.

The average European is five feet, six and seven-tenths inches high; the average American, five feet, seven and eight-tenths. Their respective weights are one hundred and thirty-eight and one hundred and forty pounds.

An assistant in the Congressional Library finds that 2200 books therein are written by colored persons. The authors are nearly all mulattoes, the straight blacks having done almost nothing.

The Mississippi and its tributaries are navigable for 35,000 miles; the rivers of Europe furnish navigation for but half as many miles, and few of them are connected.

If 1902 had no further claim to remembrance, the wireless record of its closing months will forever signalize the date in the annals of our race and its civilization.

The Aleuts are rapidly dying off since civilization has led to changes in their habits and clothing. The vices of our civilization destroy every aboriginal people exposed to them.

In Italian cotton mills, men receive forty-two cents a day, women thirty-three cents and children sixteen cents. Of the cotton used last year, 93,000 tons came from the United States, 14,000 from India and 7000 from Egypt.

The great increase in the size of ships depends upon its having been found that the propelling power required for a vessel for a given speed increases in a slower ratio than the increase of its displacement.

The number of fatalities from the leakage of illuminating gas is not only large but increasing. An investigating committee in Boston found that a moderate increase in pressure caused leakage in eighty-nine per cent. of all houses examined.

The effect of spices, used in food, as shown by experiments of Korcysnski is to stimulate the movements of the stomach, but they progressively impair the secretory function and prevent the formation of hydrochloric acid which is necessary to digestion.

In this country the De Forest type of wireless telegraph apparatus seems easily to lead its competitors in the practical results accomplished. It has done good work in the naval maneuvers, and it is having a fair amount of general commercial success.

Thirty-two per cent. of the boys and 37 per cent. of the girls in the schools of Chicago have defective vision, falling two-thirds below the normal, and this number grows steadily larger from the beginning to the end of school life.

At the present rate of increase, unless something is done to check it, immigration into the United States will soon reach a million annually. One hundred thousand foreigners is as many as the United States ought to try to absorb in a single year.

The great Desert of Gomi would fill the entire Mississippi Valley from the Alleghanies to the Rockies. Upward of 300,000 square miles of Arabia are an uninhabitable waste, while the terrible Sahara is vast enough to cover the whole United States.

The telephone is in more general use in Sweden than any other country. Rates average $1 a month, and distance messages are 8 cents for three minutes, if under 150 miles. A reply is always forthcoming from the central station in about ten seconds.

The harvest deficiences in Australia will make necessary the purchase abroad of 200,000 tons of breadstuff. This fact has advanced prices of wheat and flour in San Francisco to a point which almost precludes purchase. The average wheat crop of Australia is 38,000,000 bushels.

The Barbers' Union of Birmingham, Eng., has raised the price of a shave from 1 cent to 3 cents. In the shave they deliver all the American accessories are omitted—it being a lather and scrape simply, the customer does his own washing and primping.

ELSINORE.

NEWS NOTES.

ELSINORE, Jan. 19.—F. B. Sanford of Galveston, Tex., is at the springs.

Mrs. Rose Willsey and son, Guy, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Iowa.

G. F. Monat of Spokane, Wash., is a guest at the Lake View.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Schanck and Raber Schanck visited Miss Imogene Schanck in San Jacinto last week.

Miss Jean Wilson, who was the guest of Mrs. Lauler, has returned to Riverside.

Miss Nell Doherty, who has been visiting here several weeks, has returned to San Francisco.

Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Hofman are enjoying an outing at San Diego.

In Virginia.

"Sarann."

"Yes, pa."

"Have you and Maj. Tompkins's boy got your kiss certificates out there?"

"Yes, pa; all right."

"Go on, then. I don't want no health officer 'resting me for illegal kissing on these premises. Durn if ever hearn of such things before the war."—[Washington Times.

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Michael A Wesner and Laura E Wesner to Isaac Burkatt, lot 13, block C, Washington-street tract, $10.

Ella P Hubbard to W H Gilbert, lot 8, block A, Cameron tract, $800.

Mrs M Anna Draper to Leon Samuels, part lots 1 and 2, block 4, Old Homestead tract, $10.

Garnsey Investment Company to Mrs Ada B Gordon Hedderly, lot 6 and part lot 7, block 3, Kinney Heights tract, $1275.

George W Stimson and Jennie W Stimson to Mrs Esther J T Paw, lot 5, Sixth-street and Lucas-avenue tract, $650.

W H Gilbert and Mary E Gilbert to Pauline B Lee, lot 16, block 7, Greenwelt tract, $4.59.

S A Sanderson and Lucy Sanderson to Joseph Jackson, lots 23 and 24, block 74, Long Beach, $2500.

Ralph T Vining and Hortense R Vining to Sarah J Evans, part lot 2, block 11, Fairmount tract, $2200.

John Phillipi and Dora Phillipi to E S Rozenberger, lot 9, block 1, Olivewood, $1.

Edmund S Rosenberger to Lake-avenue Congregational Church, lot 9, block 1, Olivewood, $375.

Dora Jones to Mamie G Sexton, lot 13, block D, Alvarado Terrace tract, $10.

L J Rose & Co, Limited, to Horace Cline, lot 21, block 17, subdivision No 3, Sunny Slope estate, $3000.

Frances Zahn to D L Marcller, lot 28, block Y, J C Zahn's resubdivision, $10.

Jessie Hurlbut and Fred E Hurlbut to Jona E Rowell, lot 105, Ford tract, $10.

Charles E Jenkins and Laura Jenkins to Mrs Mary A McGee, lot 9, McLean's subdivision, $10.

Henry S Williams, Nellie J Williams, Shelly H Tolhurst and Josefa A Tolhurst to Mary E Kreihn, part lot 13, bock 51, Huber tract, $10.

Emma Krug to Oscar N Ralphs, part sec 14, 8 N 19, $10.

J T Leftwich and Mary S Leftwich to U to Littell, part lot 4, block 335, Inglewood, $50.

Edith Westmeyer and F W Westmeyer to James Gratta and Mary E Gratto, part lot 9, block 19, Los Angeles Homestead tract, $10.

John T Kiernan to Albert P Cross and John E Loomis, lot 100, Clark & Bryan tract, $10.

Mary A Niemeyer to Tom W Bishop, lot 21 of subdivision of tracts 4 and 5, Niemeyer estate, $10.

B H Hamilton, Ada E Hamilton, R W Dawson and Sue V Dawson to J E Shrewsbury, lots 1 to 5, block 1; lots 1 to 9, 15 and 16, block 2; lots 6, 7 and 8, block 3; lots 8, 10, 11, 12 and 14, block 4, Hamilton's subdivision, $10.

Rigden-McHenry Building Company to Prentiss Lebus, part lot 1st, subdivision of east 12,000 acres etc, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Prentice Lebus, reconveyance of trust property.

Arthur J Hutchinson and Sadie Patton Hutchinson to Harrington Brown, lot 109, Agricultural Park tract, $100.

Harrington Brown and Minnie Glassell Brown to Robert Edmund Williams and Anna Pierce Williams, lot 109, Agricultural Park tract, $425.

John T Forward to Flora Fairbanks Forward, lot 6, block 1, Bonita Vista tract No 1, $10.

George G Force and Emma A Force to F Robert Hawley, lot 28, Waverly tract, $1200.

Mrs Louise Kern to Caiborne Wright, lot 15, Buford Bros & Hardy's subdivision, $2500.

Theo R Crandell and Susan Crandell to A C Lawson, lot 65, block A, Keefer's subdivision, $200.

J A Anderson and Mrs Ingeborg Anderson to W O Schnabl, lot 28, Clay's subdivision of block 12, Rudecinda tract, $10.

Redondo Improvement Company to N Palmer, lot 16, block 152, Redondo Beach, $300.

Minerva D Forrester, E A Forrester and Mary C Forrester to David A Meekins, lot 29, Westlake Park tract, $10.

William W Robbins and Sarah K Robbins to Don Orrill, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block Q, Mott tract.

C A Nunemaker and May Nunemaker to W P Crumly, lot 1, Chawner's subdivision, $6000.

R D Barber and O A Barber to B P Dayman, lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, block 104, Long Beach, $20,000.

B P Dayman and Laura L Dayman to Exchange Building Association, lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, block 101, Long Beach, $20,000.

E C Valentine and Emma J Valentine to J A Turnbaugh and Mrs L V Turnbaugh, lot 25, Stimson Bros' resubdivision, $10.

Sarah A Nickerson to Eva M Phillips, lot 24, Axford & Landreth's subdivision, $10.

George M Jenifer and Etta Jenifer to Milo Potter, lots 8 and 9, block 18, San Fernando, $291.

Elizabeth M Scott to A C Maurer, lots 25 and 26, block 1, P M Scott tract, $800.

F J Ganahl and Louise Ganahl to Daniel S Halladay, lot 2, F J Ganahl's resubdivision, $10.

Francis J Ganahl and Louise Ganahl to Daniel S Halladay, agreement to convey lot 3, F J Ganahl's resubdivision, $750.

Minnie L Spencer and I L Spencer to Henry Goldman, part sec 32, 2 S 13, $10.

Estate of Albert S Kidd to Malissa H Kidd, part secs 22 and 21, 2 N 9.

Harry Downs and Henrietta E Downs to John B Steen, lot 5, block 47, Long Beach, $10.

P J Bolin and Anna A Bolin to John B Steen, lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, Farris tract, $150.

Mrs Louise Kern to Claiborne C Wright, lot 10, Binford Bros & Hardy's subdivision.

Mrs F N Wilson and Fred N Wilson to C B Ladd, lot 21, block 3, Strain & Lewis's subdivision, $700.

Sarah D Richards, Hattie Simonton, Cornelia C Gohagan, C M Goodwin, J L Goodwin, Nicholas Fristoe, Hasleton Wimbish, Ophelia Goodwin, James McLain, Jessie McLain, Idonia McLain, L D McLain, J L McLain, Thomas McLain, W B McLain, Eugenia McLain, M L Bennett, Sallie Fessiel, Gussie Feliz, S America Colvin, Osce Goodwin and Mary Goodwin to Joseph Prouty, trustee for Holiness Church, beginning at northeast corner of lot now occupied by Mrs Vice, etc, northerly along fence, being lot now occupied by Holiness Church of El Monte, $75.

George F Burton and Ida S Burton to Mrs Nellie E Osgood and E May Eaton, part lots 16 and 17, Carson & Currier's subdivision, $1530.

Samuel P Rees and Julia Rees to M L Wicks, lots 18 and 19, block A, City Boundary, $1.

Fred W Marshall to Isaac Hetherington, agreement to convey lot 62 and part lot 63, Angelus Vista tract, $1125.

George W Lichtenberger and C Antoinette Lichtenberger to D L Marcher, lot 27, block B, Central Beach tract, $300.

Estate of John H Lee, deceased, order confirming sale to James Laire, lot 10 and part lot 11, block 4, subdivision of lots 5 and 6, block 40, City Donation Lots; to M L Wicks, lots 12 and 13, block 18, Angeleno Heights; to Louis F Velter, undivided one-half interest in lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, J W Ellis's subdivision, to A Dudley, undivided one-half interest in lots 8 and 10, block 7, Angeleno Heights.

J C Williams and Rebecca Williams to Edward Henry Diehl and Margaret E Diehl, lot 2 and part lot 1, block B, Hammell's subdivision, $700.

University of Southern California to Stephen D Underwood, part block 232, Maclay Rancho, $10.

D A Hurst to Thomas Fitzgerald, agreement to convey lot 74, E A Miller's subdivision.

M L Wicks and Florence Wicks to H M Allen, lots 73 and 75, Conner's subdivision, $100.

Frederick Dohs and Elizabeth Dohs to Senaloa Colburn, lot 22, May tract, $420.

Charles M Stimson to Louisa T Johnson, part lot 1, O J Mairs tract, $500.

Mira Charest Brown and Henry A Brown to F S Lowry, lot U, block 72, Santa Monica, $1000.

Sarah F Judson to A J Stevens, lot 48 block 52, Ralph Rogers subdivision, $10.

William Davie to Hester A Atkinson, lots 6 and 7, block O, Walnut Grove tract, $10.

Hester A Atkinson to William Davie, lot 53, P J Brannen tract, $10.

Elizabeth Bell, Elizabeth Corinne Becht, Gertrude H Weston and Myra M Carroll to Sophy M Loy, lot 1, block 22, Highland Park tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Julia E Dotson, agreement to convey lot 16, block 4, Ocean Wave tract, $429.

Same to same, agreement to convey lot 1, block 5, Crescent Bay tract, $525.

Same to same, lot 20 and part lot 18, block 9, Ocean Bay View tract, $3000.

West Adams Heights Association to Lucy Washington Walker, lot 6, block 2, West Adams Heights, $5250.

George H Peck, Jr, and Olive M Peck to W H Horning, lot 13, block 5, Rudecinda tract, $250.

Henry J Duffy to Zaida Le Com, part lot 14, block 4, Park tract, $1.

Same to Mary A Duffy, part lot 14, block 4, Park tract, $1.

George H Shafer and Caroline Shafer to Southern California Railway Company, part of the 38.783-acre tract allotted to Caroline Shafer by decree of partition in estate of Matthew Keeler, deceased, $1.

C W Rhodes and Emma T Rhodes to P P Huston, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 Kendall & Giddings subdivision and lot 19, Hull tract, $10.

W S Bailey and Dilla M Bailey to H C Dewey, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 119, Pomona, $300.

James G Bailey and Isabella Bailey to Anna C Brack, part lot 33, Lick tract, $450.

E D Lane and Bessie C Lane to R B Newby, lot 4, Gill tract, $10.

John J Charnock to William V Pemberton, lot 16, block B, Charnock's Soto street tract, $10.

Samuel W Little and Mary D Little to William V Pemberton, lots 17, 18 and 19, block 12, Brooklyn Heights Ganahl tract, $1650.

R A Realty Syndicate to John Tonas, lot 11 block J, Dayton Heights tract, $200.

Freeman M Kincaid and Maude Kincaid to William W Finch, agreement to convey part lots 3 and 4, J J Bullis tract, $6207.50.

R W Poindexter and Madaline R Poindexter to L E Leeman, lot 37, block K, Knob Hill tract, $10.

James S Devine and Jennie M Devine to Ross T Hickcox, lot 12, block 9, Moulton's addition, $10.

Michael Craig and Fannie Craig to Ross T Hickcox, lot 12, block 9, Moulton's addition.

Louise V Brown and Samuel C Brown to B H Haneman, lot 28, block 3, Howe's tract, $10.

J F Sartori and Margaret Sartori to C E Slosson lot 18, block B, Monrovia.

Louise T W Conger, Howard W Conger and Lulu N Conger to Guy F Sperow, part of tract No 2, division D Berry & Elliott subdivision, $450.

Alfred Hoffman and Frances Hoffman to C W Unger, lot 9, block 4, Washington Heights, $200.

Fannie K Ewing to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 18 and part lot 19, block C, Estella tract and part lots 13 and 14, Star tract, $10.

Eccdora F Higgins and F Kerr Higgins to Mary Alice Linder, part lots 59, 60 and 61, Sierra Vista tract, $10.

United States to Carlton Seaver and the heirs of Peter Fleming, patent part section 21 1 N 8.

Samuel C Flammer and Mary J Flammer to Thomas Neville, lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block A, Bicknell's adition to Monrovia, $1350.

Josaid L Holland and J W Holland to James D ... ey, lot 5, Holland tract, $10.

Arthur M Davidson and Addie M Davidson to Henry P Flint, part lot 18, block 7, Kinney Heights tract, $10.

Arthur N Davidson and Addie M Davidson to Frederick W Boynton, lot 19 and part lot 18, block 7, Kinney Heights tract, $10.

Josephine S Hall and Charles V Hall to Andrew Ott and Lizzie Ott, lot 6, block 4, George Dalton Sr, tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Joseph P Manuel, reconveyance of lots 8 and 9, block A, Ninth-street extension.

Rebecca A Rice vs City of Los Angeles, decree quieting title in plaintiff, part lot 1, block 2, Sanchez tract.

Anna L Bemis and E L Bemis to Noah M Davis, lot 29, block 4, Marathon tract, $10.

Noah M Davis and Edna Davis to E L Bemis and Anna L Bemis, lot 20, block 4, Marathon tract, $10.

Sam Aen and Marthey E Aen to Mary E Rawlins, lots 1 and 2, block 23, Garvanza addition No. 1, $10.

J F Atherton to Beatrice Brenou, lot 19, Mount View tract, $785.

William L Yard and Stanley C Hickborn as firm of Yard & Hickborn, Louise Yard and Mattie Hickborn to Daniel Marshall, part lots 19 and 20, Judson tract, $10.

J W Wilson, Mary E Wilson, Arthur E Wilson and Lizzie J Wilson to B S Edwards, part lot 22, block G, West Los Angeles, $10.

Gustav Patzer, Max Patzer, Clara Patzer and Annie Patzer to Charles D Kessler, lot 65, Bonita tract, $375.

William Carlson to John Carlson, part section 24 4 S 12, $10.

O D Thompson, Annie Thompson, Addie Thompson, S A Thompson, George W Thompson; Julia Holgate Schofield, Annie M Strong, Stephen Strong, Eliza Newton and Margaret A Thompson to George Hitchcock, part Umpleby's addition to Monte Vista and affidavit as to identity of Mrs Annie Strong; Eliza Newton, Eliza Thompson, Mrs M A Vance, Mrs Mary Garnet Duncan, Garnet Duncan, Orange D Thompson, O D Thompson, Jr; J E Thompson, John Thompson, John Ezra Thompson, O D Thompson, Sr, William A Thompson, W A Thompson William Holgate, William S Holgate, Stephen A Thompson and S A Thompson.

Hannah C Madden to M J Nolan, lot 128, Clark & Bryan's Lone Star tract, $10.

M J Nolan and Carrie M Nolan to Emma B Gunnett, part lot 128, Lone Star tract, $10.

Pearl Strong and Frank R Strong to Lewis K Page, lot 21, Star tract, $10.

George F Warner, George W Warner and Loretta Warner to Marie Frese, lot 72, Hollywood Boulevard tract, $10.

O Davidson and Alice M Davidson to W F Daniel, lot 155, Wicks' subdivision of Garbolin-Cooper South & Porter tract, $10.

Frances M Davis and B J Davis to W B Mosher and Lavinia M Caldwell, undivided two-eighth interest in lot 20, block F, Monrovia, $25.

Joseph Goestenkohrs and Louisa Goestenkohrs to Ella H Enderlein, lot 22, Park Villa tract, $10.

R M Miller and Nettie R Miller to Maggie A Kyle and Fannie C Kyle, lot U, block 66, Santa Monica, $10.

Will P W Martin and Montie Martin to Fred M Stewart, part lot 226 block 11, C V Hall tract, $10.

In re U Citron and D Hyman, partners as U Citron & Co in bankruptcy, order that proceedings in above entitled case be dismissed.

Will P Martin and Montie Martin to Lillian E Pooler, part lot 22, all lot 23 and part lot 24, block 11, C V Hall tract, $10.

Same to Clarence J Pooler, part lot 24, block 11, C V Hall tract, $10.

Sigismond Brossmer to Mary Vanne, lot 32, Requena tract, $2100.

Union Title and Realty Company to Charles Victor Hall, reconveyance of lots 1 and 2, block 16, and lots 29 and 30, block 17, C V Hall tract.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to W H Woodham, reconveyance of trust property.

Isabella MacBean and Mary MacBean, sometimes written McBean, to Arthur E Hughes, agreement to convey lot 4, block 12, Park tract, $1000.

Benor Gilhausen and Josie Gilhausen, first parties; William Seymour Davis, second parties; recites that first parties are owners of lot 2, Downey & Hellman tract, and have erected a pumping plant thereon; W S Davis is owner of lot 3, Downey & Hellman tract; first party agrees to pump and deliver water, etc.

Abner L Ross and Emma C Ross to John B Davee and Grace D Getz, lot 5, Ross & Dixon tract, $450.

Will P W Martin and Montie Martin to Hattie C Kelly, lot 23, block 21, C V Hall tract, $1000.

D E Wellcoe and Annie M Wellcome to Gideon Hunt, part lot 5, block 2, Sycamore Grove tract, $100.

Mrs Frances E Dryden to Godfrey Edwards, lot 17, block 1, C V Hall tract, $10.

Lilly M Bright to Milton Bright, part lot 2, block 12, Gill's subdivision, $200.

S P Creasinger to M M Davis part lot 19, block B, Johnston tract, $10.

Mrs Ida M Crandall to J C Sherry and Mary Sherry, reconveyance of trust property.

Total, $119,558.50.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

VAN NUYS BROADWAY—Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, Pittsburgh; E. D. Neff, J. H. Smith, Clara E. Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. L. Morosco, New York; R. E. Lamb, Menden; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Smith, San Jose; C. R. Wisner, Detroit; A. Barmann, Mentone; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Baggott, Don E. Campbell, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hamilton and child, Colfax, Wash.; Anna C. Hanson, Two Harbors, Minn.; T. M. Jones, Sacramento; E. A. Wright, Stockton; G. C. Schilling, Santa Rosa; O. L. Henderson, A. Rothschild, W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Damerel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leavitt, J. F. McDevitt, W. H. Nash, Edwin Mobrig, J. Earnest, Joseph Holle, S. Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Willard, Mrs. James Irvine and party, Mrs. J. Meyer, John A. Black, San Francisco; C. C. Armstrong, Mrs. C. C. Armstrong, Girard.

ANGELUS—C. J. Siegfried, T. M. Clifford and wife, W. M. Clifford and wife, J. A. Burke and wife, S. N. Cancell and wife, S. S. Raymond, San Francisco; E. N. Smith, Boston; Russell Schuler, Mr. and Mrs. Schuler and child, St. Louis; H. C. Davis, G. A. Forman, Buffalo; Carl T. Fitch, W. J. Leavenworth, Miss Hattie Wallace, Connecticut; P. F. Cronan, George M. Wallace, New Haven; H. C. Rogers and wife, Troy; T. M. Fisher, Seattle; Paul Hogland and wife, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Godfrey, Scranton, Pa.; Charles H. Pick, Tucson; A. Adler, Rochester, N. Y.; Charles T. Hinde, Coronado; W. D. McPherson, Chicago; Joseph Balmer, Mrs. Joseph Balmer, Miss Josie Balmer, Miss Lulu Balmer, Fred Balmer, Mrs. R. J. Lockett, Dr. and Mrs. J. O. F. Hill, Alex. J. Weidman, Percy Solomon, Karl Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wein, Frank M. Smith, D. Affleck, Mrs. E. D. Washburn, E. P. Williams, Mrs. J. H. Roberts, F. F. Cosgrove, James Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Felix, New York.

WESTMINSTER—J. J. McGurn and wife, E. Everman, Chicago; Alex Marshall, Northfield, Minn.; Mrs. W. L. Osburn, Salem, Or.; T. E. Fassett, Deming, N. M.; Mrs. M. E. Fassett, Elmira, N. Y.; H. A. Meyer and son, Denver; Charles A. Boeck and wife, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey, Minneapolis; Samuel C. Dunn, Paterson, N. J.; A. E. Arrington, Zion City, Ill.; Alex McDermott and wife, Victoria, B. C.; Mrs. H. Gerstle, S. T. Dove and wife, Portland, Or.; Mrs. M. J. Janney, Mrs. E. R. Pille Kay, Abe Schwartz, Pittsburgh; Miss Edith Helena, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Remington, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kotten, New York; B. H. Millard, Ontario, Can.; W. H. Wilson and wife, Cincinnati; George H. Wilkins and wife, Boston, Mrs. M. G. Hinkle, Seattle; A. P. McKay, W. E. Zander, J. Erdin, L. Erdin, M. Blum, Wilbur S. Suppe and wife, L. T. Merds, E. C. Heller and wife, Miss E. C. Keely, San Francisco.

RAMONA—A. Schaub, Pittsburgh; G. Strathman, Philadelphia; T. B. Rock, F. Turner, El Paso; R. A. Davis, New York; W. D. Turner, Denver; Mrs. D. Vernon, Miss B. Stanley, Chicago; W. Echoton, Boston; Charles Riverson, Detroit; F. B. Merwin, New Orleans; B. James and wife, St. Louis; L. Sands, Kansas City; George Fands, N. A. Rystrom, Houston, Tex.; J. Hoestat, Seattle; W. M. Grebenstein, Salt Lake City; J. S. Turner, Portland, Or.; C. L. Wright, Syracuse, N. Y.; A. Joseph, Wichita; C. A. Martin, Lawrence, Kan.; C. Martin, Omaha.

HOLLENBECK—Rev. E. J. Purdy and wife, Minneapolis; J. W. Joslin and wife, Royalton, Minn.; Miss Clara Shore, Santa Clara; E. A. Rice and wife, Victoria, B. C.; H. Dekiskey, Mrs. William Cregor and child, George W. Duff, Arthur Walters, A. Block, A. M. Baker, H. B. Green, John H. Millsner, A. Eberle, W. R. Townsend, Mrs. R. R. Lowe, Mrs. R. Graver, Morris Levy, James Raggett, James C. H. Ferguson, C. Shirch, C. F. Ragsdale, L. D. Hicks, A. H. Bullion, San Francisco; L. B. DeCampe, Berkeley; F. J. Hobson, J. H. Rolfe, Mrs. J. G. Creis, Mrs. O. A. Shaw, S. Sinsheimer, W. L. Spellman, Chicago; George H. Brown, Sheridan, Wyoming; E. R. Rickey, A. B. Gigar, Fresno; G. H. Goodwin, Boston; Miss Black, Santa Cruz; P. McLain and wife, Mabel, Iowa; J. F. Stock and wife, Springfield, Ill.; N. B. Gibson, A. E. Boggs, J. G. Mosely, Riverside; C. B. Good, R. E. Bledsoe, San Bernardino; Julius Goldbaum, Tucson; T. F. Payne, W. F. Payne, W. C. Randall, New York; W. H. Micheals and wife, H. Palmer, Philadelphia; J. W. Robinson, Baltimore; C. Seepe and wife, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; Mrs. David Gross and child, Tacoma; G. W. Hinckle, Cornwallis, O.; H. A. Bates, Idyllwild; R. H. Farquhar and wife, Olive, Cal.; Charles E. Arnold, San Francisco; A. B. Pomery, Kalamazoo, Mich.; H. A. Meyers, Denver; A. B. Church, J. M. Church, Clarendon, N. Y.; T. Ferguson, St. Louis; Frank W. Nutter, Redlands; R. S. Oakley and wife, Spokane, Wash.; M. S. Dunham and wife, Terre Haute, Ind.; S. J. Lewis, Needles; E. Meyer, Albuquerque; J. C. Bennitt, U. S. Navy.

NADEAU—Mrs. L. W. Jones, Miss L. V. Jones, J. A. Moore, James Nelson, Minneapolis; P. F. McGullivan, Thomas J. Randall, St. Paul; N. M. Nelson, Cincinnati; John R. Brazelton, L. M. Cooper, Cameron, Mo.; Henry Ramsdell, Imperial; F. W. Butler, B. I. Bill, I. W. Butcher A. T. Hodgkinson, John W. Norris C. W. Colby, A. Allen, San Francisco; N. W. Newton, Redlands; G. Morrill, Miss Morrill, N. E. Jacobs, Chicago; Mrs. Edwin Carey, San Jose; J. Hoeshch, Seattle; L. A. Chipley, San Bernardino; Will M. Cressey and wife, New Hampshire; G. A. Laney, St. Louis; P. O'Brien, New York; V. P. Edie, Albuquerque; G. W. Whitehouse, W. S. Offner, F. Newman, Walla Walla, Wash.; Harry Hillier and wife, San Bernardino; C. F. Renach and wife, Redlands; W. H. Seibold nd wife, Buffalo; W. H. Kantner, O. R. Jones, Somerset, Pa.; Charles P. Nellinger, A. L. Lezaner, Pittsburgh; Ed Gannechean, St. Louis; W. J. Naughton, Nevada; H. C. Stinger, Prescott, Ariz.

NATICK—William Dunford, Melita, Mass.; J. W. Evans, Boston, Mass.; H. Rosencrantz, St. Edwards, Neb.; J. M. Bland, Needles, Cal.; J. F. LeBaureoun, San Francisco; H. R. Green, Chicago; W. B. Fennick, Point Richmond; W. J. McKee, Albuquerque, N. M.; J. Hinkle, Prescott, Ariz.; Mrs. M. Warner, Portland, Or.; G. E. Mott Fresno; S. Vandleun, Baker, Or.; D. R. Osborne, Madera; L. T. Hurchberg, City of Mexico; F. Clark and wife, Sioux City, Iowa; William Sullivan, New York; Z. L. Johnson and wife, Elizabeth Miller, John Johnson and wife, Boisa, Cal.; S. G. Kelly Santa Barbara; John Irwin, Santa Paula; H. J. Miller, Lowell, Mass; W. J. Welshuns, Omaha; H. Lovelace, E. Wiggins, Riverside; M. A. Kumler, Etiwanda; J. W. Gyser, W. M. Payton, Perris; S. A. Blair, Tucson, Ariz.; D. C. Funk, Upland; Mrs. W. S. Kerr, Simi; M. C. Atkinson and family, Oxford, Ind.; J. T. Tong, H. M. Tong, F. R. Cole and wife, Bisbee, Ariz.; James Burd and family, Santa Barbara; S. F. Williams, San Francisco; M. H. Dodrige, San Diego; E. J. Varney, Baker City; J. H. Martin, Drake City, N. Poole and wife, E. Poole, Mrs. E. E. Redding, Boston; J. Thiry, North Yakima; J. Cutter, M. B. Preastly, Des Moines; Mrs. Riley and family, San Francisco; A. B. Graham and family, Springfield; H. Phelps, A. Barber, Chula Vista; G. L. Lenawiner, National City, Cal.; W. L. Cowie, Riverside; J. W. Hartline, Rossland, B. C.; William Muther, Minnesota; J. W. Clark, Dawson.

SHORTER WAY THROUGH SANTA BARBARA.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC WILL SOON CHANGE ITS LINE.

Scotch Capitalists Buy Two Thousand Acres of Land Pronounced Good Oil Territory—Miss Kelly's Condition Improved—Potter Hotel Formally Opened.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 19.—It was stated today upon authority which cannot be questioned as to access to reliable sources of information, that the change in tracks of the Southern Pacific Company's line through Santa Barbara will have been made by July 4; also that construction work on the new depot, to be located at the western end of the race track, will then be well under way. The object of the change is to cut out several curves which are now a part of the main line, and thereby shorten the distance necessary to be traveled while passing through the city. Under the proposed plan the Victoria-street station will be abandoned.

LARGE LAND DEAL CLOSED.

Information was received from the Los Alamos Valley today that a deal through which 2000 acres of what is pronounced by experts to be some of the most promising oil territory in the State, passed into possession of a syndicate of Scotch capitalists. A. H. McKay, who discovered oil on adjoining territory about two years ago and until recently was general manager for the Western Union Oil Company, which operated the field known as the Careaga Rancho, engineered the deal. It is reported that the amount paid for the property, which heretofore has been utilized for grazing purposes, is $40,000. The territory involved is what is commonly known as the De la Guerra Rancho, being a portion of one of the large Spanish grants in the northern section of Santa Barbara county. It lies immediately north of the Careaga Rancho, where the heavy oil deposits were found by the Western Union Company. Mr. McKay is authority for the statement that an arrangement has been made between the purchasers of the De la Guerra property and the Western Union Oil Company, whereby the latter will begin at once to sink wells and develop the tract.

HARD DROP TO EARTH.

Because of a faulty safety strap, William Knippel, a lineman for some time in the employ of the United Electric Company, fell down from the top of a pole in the rear of the Potter Hotel grounds, and broke a leg. He fell head downward, so eyewitnesses say, and it is deemed remarkable that his neck, instead of his leg, was not broken. This is the fourth instance within four days, in which persons have sustained injuries to limbs.

MISS KELLY RECOVERING.

Miss Anita P. Kelly of New York, who met with a severe accident at the Hotel Potter Friday night, is considered on the way to rapid improvement and recovery. Her left foot, which was shockingly mangled, has been amputated, making the beautiful girl a cripple for life. She is at the Cottage Hospital.

POTTER HOTEL OPENING.

What may be properly termed the formal opening of the Potter Hotel took place this evening. The hotel opened for business on the first day of the year, but January 19 was the favorite day of Manager Milo M. Potter for ceremonies, and a grand ball was given in honor of the particular date. Ground for the new tourist hotel was broken a year ago today, and during the twelve months past a structure costing more than $1,000,000 has been completed, and put into full operation.

POLO CONTESTS.

Local polo enthusiasts are preparing for a series of games, the first of which will take place some time early in February. Arrangements are now under way for matches between the Santa Barbara, Burlingame and Riverside teams, as well as between teams made up of eastern and European players now in the city. W. S. Hobart, who has done much sensational work on the Burlingame field during the past few days, is expected to arrive in Santa Barbara early in February, and participate in a number of the most notable contests.

Robbers entered the jewelry establishment of E. L. Muinch in South Bend, Ind., and carried away goods valued at $5000. There is no clew.

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PASADENA, Office of The Times, ... South Raymond avenue, Jan. ... the Pacific Electric Railway Com... has decided that no union devil... such as tied up the car lines in ... Francisco several months ago, ... take place here. In nipping the ... in the bud, the company has ... an alleged mistake, which has ... indignation on the part of ... of the employés. ... Norman J. A. Barnett of No. ... Columbia street, was discharged a ... days ago, the reason stated being ... he was found associating with a ... man from the North. Barnett ... an old employé of the company, ... his friends say that there is ... in any story to the effect that ... conspires with unionism. They ... that Barnett was simply visited ... friend of his, who happens to be ... man, and that Barnett showed ... visitor only ordinary courtesy, ... no idea of discussing unionism ... him.

COMMISSIONERS MEET.

... the regular meeting of the City ... missioners yesterday afternoon, a ... munication was received from the ... ena Fire Underwriters' Associa... by J. C. Brainard, recommending ... placing of fire hydrants on certain ... to insure better protection ... fire. Several times the fire ... has been handicapped in nipping ... blaze, because there was no ... handy, and the association ... the city to do all in its power ... the houses from burning. The ... missioners deferred decision on the ... matter of awarding the contract ... erection of a new fire engine-... was laid over for another week. ... letter of thanks was received from ... Stead & Lee of Oceanpark, who ... been appointed consulting land-... artists to look after the im... ment of the new parks, plans for ... were accepted from Thomas ... holm and others. ... additional horses for the fire ... ment are needed, and the board ... to advertise for them.

AFTER SOCIAL CLUBS.

... Attorney E. F. Hahn of the Anti-... League says that the workers ... liquor selling have found an... cudgel. The ordinance now being ... ered by the County Supervisors ... all the clubs to take out li... will likely be passed, and then ... will be a number of booze deal... organizations which will avoid or ... to avoid payment of licenses, ... it on the blind-pig style. The ... District Attorney's office will fight ... places on the ground that they ... nuisances and in order to declare ... nuisances will get out search ... and investigate them.

SCHOOL EXAMS.

... usual mid-term test will occur ... week in the public schools. Ex... work during the four months of ... will excuse from examination ... who, during the term, have had ... average of 90 per cent. in any sub... will be excused from examination ... subject. In the High School ... standard is slightly higher, a ... of 95 being required to ex... It is expected that pupils will ... advantage of this and raise the ... of their general work.

NEWS NOTES.

... property in Altadena purchased ... R. Murtagh of Chicago the other ... was not "Whitefriars," but sit... a short distance away and ... by the same person, viz.: Mrs. ... Watkins. ... E. M. Whittemore of New York ... founder of "The Door of Hope," ... evangelist of note, will address ... women of Pasadena in the Pres... ian chapel at 3 p.m. Wednesday, ... at the prayer meeting in the ... The Woman's League of the Univer... Church will be entertained ... afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by ... H. Geohegan and Mrs. Coolidge ... home of the former, No. 385 South ... avenue. ... annual banquet and election of ... Y.M.C.A. will be held this evening ... association rooms. ... Blockburger yesterday pleaded ... to the charge of trundling an ... mobile faster than eight miles an ... and paid a fine of $10. ... Benjamin Salajo was sentenced to ... ten days in the County Jail for ... William Eason has sold twelve and ... acres of orange orchard on Allen ... to G. A. Darling for $10,000. ... orchard has $3000 crop, which Mr. ... reserves. ... Rear-Admiral Philip H. Cooper, U.S. ... was here yesterday to visit his ... Mrs. A. J. Stevenson of Hotel ... Stevenson.

IN SOCIETY.

... and Mrs. Edward T. Barnum ... No. 259 South Orange Grove ave... entertained last evening with a ... followed by a box party at the ... Angeles Theater. The trip to the ... was made in carriages. The guests ... Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Clapp, Mrs. ... Burr Hill, Mr. and Mrs. ... Eastburne, and Mrs. Elizabeth ... and Mrs. C. B. Scoville enter... Saturday night with an Or... party. The guests went over in ... parlor car "Poppy," and were ... with buffet lunch on the way ... Those who went were: Mr. and ... Edward W. Hitchings, Mr. and ... H. Page Warden, Mr. and Mrs. ... Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. ... Mr and Mrs. A. Stevens Hal... Dr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Libby, ... and Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. ... Charles Edward Brown, Mr. ... Mrs. Joseph T. Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. ... B. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John S. ... Mr. and Mrs. William R. ... Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elmer Wil... Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley Macomber, ... Mrs. Harry J. Macomber. ... and George Link of North ... Pasadena entertained Saturday evening ... a progressive tiddledy-winks ... Refreshments were served and ... awarded.

... bowling alleys, billiards and ... Hotel Redondo, Redondo Beach. ... Wadsworth sells paints, 85 E. Colo... ...-grade candies at McCament's. ... Sale—Second-hand Oldsmobile, 35 ... Broadway. ... Story, pianos, 86 E. Colorado.

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[NEWS REORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PASADENA ELECTRIC MIPS UNIONISM.

MAN IS DISCHARGED FOR BEING WITH UNION MAN.

Men's Friends are Indignant Because of Summary Treatment Meted Out—Commissioners Asked for Better Police Protection—Fighting Boose Joints.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, 78 South Raymond avenue, Jan. 20.—The Pacific Electric Railway Company has decided that no union devil-fish such as tied up the car lines in San Francisco several months ago, shall take place here. In nipping the matter in the bud, the company has made an alleged mistake, which has caused indignation on the part of the employés.

Thomas J. A. Barnett of No. 1[illegible] Columbia street, was discharged a few days ago, the reason stated being that he was found associating with a man from the North. Barnett was an old employé of the company, and his friends say that there is not in any story to the effect that he has had anything to do with unionism. They claim that Barnett was simply visited by a friend of his, who happens to be a union man, and that Barnett showed him only ordinary courtesy, without any idea of discussing unionism at all.

COMMISSIONERS MEET.

The regular meeting of the City Commissioners yesterday afternoon, a communication was received from the Pasadena Fire Underwriters' Association, by J. C. Brainard, recommending the location of fire hydrants on certain streets to insure better protection against fire. Several times the fire department has been handicapped in nipping fires in the bud, because there was no water handy, and the association asks the city to do all in its power to prevent the houses from burning. The matter was deferred decision on the matter of awarding the contract for the erection of a new fire engine-house, and laid over for another week.

A letter of thanks was received from Samuel A. Lee of Oceanpark, who has been appointed consulting landscape architect to look after the improvement of the new parks, plans for which have been accepted from Thomas Nolen and others.

Additional horses for the fire department are needed, and the board was instructed to advertise for them.

AFTER SOCIAL CLUBS.

Attorney E. P. Hahn of the Anti-Saloon League says that the workers against those selling have found an effective ally in the ordinance now being considered by the County Supervisors for the purpose of clubs to take out license, which if they be passed, and then only a limited number of booze-dealers would be granted licenses, which will avoid or overcome the necessity of the payment of licenses, is the latest blind-pig style. The District Attorney's office will fight the matter on the ground that they have no power and in order to declare the ordinances will get out search warrants and investigate them.

SCHOOL EXAMS.

The usual mid-term test will occur next week in the public schools. Examinations during the four months of the term will excuse from examination. Pupils who, during the term, have had an average of 90 per cent. in any subject will be excused from examination in that subject. In the High School the standard is slightly higher, a general average of 95 being required to excuse. It is expected that pupils will take advantage of this and raise the standard of their general work.

NEWS NOTES.

The property in Altadena purchased by D. R. Murtagh of Chicago the other day is not "Whitefriars," but situated a short distance away and belongs to the same person, viz.: Mrs. A. Watkins.

Dr. R. M. Whittemore of New York is the founder of "The Door of Hope," an evangelist of note, will address the people of Pasadena in the Presbyterian chapel at 3 p.m. Wednesday, and at the prayer meeting in the evening.

The Woman's League of the Universalist Church will be entertained this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. E. Geohegan and Mrs. Coolidge at the home of the former, No. 385 South Orange.

The annual banquet and election of officers of the Y.M.C.A. will be held this evening in the association rooms.

Fred Boschburger yesterday pleaded guilty to the charge of trundling an automobile faster than eight miles an hour, and paid a fine of $15.

Louis Salajo was sentenced to ten days in the County Jail for theft.

Lyman Eason has sold twelve and a half acres of orange orchard on Allen avenue to G. A. Darling for $10,000. The orchard has $3000 crop, which Mr. Darling reserves.

Admiral Phillip H. Cooper, U.S.N., is here yesterday to visit his brother, Mrs. A. J. Stevenson of Hotel Green.

IN SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Barnum of 320 South Orange Grove avenue entertained last evening with a dinner, followed by a box party at the Los Angeles Theater. The trip to the theater was made in carriages. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Clapp, Mrs. Burr Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Eastburne, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Scoville entertained Saturday night with an Orpheum party. The guests went over in the car "Poppy," and were served with buffet lunch on the way back. Those who went were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Hitchings, Mr. and Mrs. Page Warden, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Dee and Mrs. A. Stevens Halladay, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Libby, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Staats, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elmer Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley Macomber, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Macomber, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lick of North Raymond avenue entertained Saturday evening with a progressive tiddledy-winks party. Refreshments were served and the guests departed.

Bowling alleys, billiards and pool. Redondo. Redondo Beach.

Fourth sale paints, 85 E. Colorado.

Candies at McCament's.

Second-hand Oldsmobile, 35 E. Colorado.

Pianos, $6 E. Colorado.

CLAREMONT.

COLLEGE NOTES.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 19.—At the special request of the Pomona College Alumni Association the faculty has taken action by which the numerous relics which adorn the reading-room in Holmes Hall will be moved to the upper story of Pearson's Hall of Science. Among them are photographs of all the crack teams, glee clubs, football teams, intercollegiate orators and class graduates which have ever been connected with the institution. A handsome life-size painting of Dr. C. G. Baldwin, first president of Pomona College, is also to be transferred. The object is to get these treasures in a building which is absolutely fireproof.

From 2 to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon was held a musicale in Sumner Hall parlors. Several vocal numbers of sacred music were rendered by Miss Baldwin, and B. A. Buker; A. Ray Condit gave an effective whistling solo. At 6:15 o'clock was held a brief, but spirited, praise service in Holmes's Hall chapel, under the direction of Prof. A. D. Bissell. This service was followed by a devotional meeting led by Miss Alice Parker, the theme of the evening being "Christian Fellowship."

The absorbing topic is the field day.

Walter Collins, ex-'05 Pomona College, is making a two days' visit with college friends.

Messrs. Almon Richardson, '03, and R. D. Williams, '03, delegates from the recent Pacific Grove conference, went to Riverside yesterday and addressed a Y.M.C.A. meeting.

Miss Elva Huntley of Pasadena is making a visit with college friends.

COVINA.

SERIOUS BASEBALL INJURY.

COVINA, Jan. 19.—Rolland Fairly, a member of the Covina baseball team, is suffering from concussion of the brain, the result of injuries received in a game between the Covina and Lordsburg nines on the home grounds yesterday afternoon. Fairly was playing first base, and was struck on the temple by a ball thrown with tremendous force by the pitcher. His condition is serious. The injured boy is the eldest son of the City Marshal.

The baseball game yesterday between the Covina and Lordsburg teams resulted in a victory for the home boys, the score standing 10 to 8.

The Covina meat market has been sold by Madison & Kendall to J. H. Jackson and W. R. Wheaton, recent arrivals from Colorado Springs. The new firm assumed control this morning. Madison & Kendall will continue in the wholesale meat and ice business.

Milton Armel has purchased a five-acre orange grove from G. L. Hazard on Clenega avenue.

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SAN PEDRO.

ACCIDENTAL DROWNING.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 19.—The Coroner's jury found that the man whose body was discovered Saturday near the Southern Pacific's trestle, on Boschke Island, came to his death by accidental drowning, probably while suffering from an epileptic fit. Letters in the dead man's possession disclosed his name to be George Matthise, who is supposed to have come from Clayton, Ill. Word has been sent to a sister and brother of the unfortunate man, who reside in Clayton. The remains are held at the undertaking establishment of C. A. Lucas until an answer is had from relatives.

No dust, fog or smoke at Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

POMONA.

BRUTAL DRIVING.

POMONA, Jan. 19.—A favorite mare driven to death and a horse severely winded, both belonging to A. B. Goslin of the Opera Stables, is the "smart" record made yesterday by a pair of boisterous Pomona young men who went driving with their girls. Thomas Kelly and "Doc" Carty are the names of the parties who hired the animals at noon yesterday. Kelly drove the mare unmercifully, and when he returned at about 10 o'clock last night, the animal was in a pitiable condition. Although a veterinary did all that he could, the mare fell over in her stall dead four hours later. When Carty came in with his horse the animal was in wretched condition, but, being a larger and stronger animal, will recover. The mare was one of a valuable team that has been a great favorite with tourists this winter. Kelly begged hard not to be arrested, and has agreed to pay Mr. Goslin for the dead animal. Another young man nearly killed a horse yesterday hired from W. S. Newton of the City Stables. This practice of overdriving livery horses on Sundays by certain young fellows is becoming common here, and the liverymen, at an informal meeting this morning, agreed to prosecute severely with a view to imprisoning the next offender.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The City Attorney is drafting a resolution of intention to put Third, Fourth and Fifth streets on an established grade and to curb the thoroughfares from White to Town avenues with stone curbing, under the Vrooman act. There remains much work to be done here in placing many of the city streets on established grade and otherwise improving them. San Antonio avenue from Holt avenue to Second street has now been graded and is being graveled and rolled, making a fine roadway.

Rev. George W. Fuller, who was assistant pastor of the Unitarian Church at Oakland, and has been engaged as supply for three months for the First Unitarian Church here, preached yesterday upon "The Lost Art of Keeping Quiet."

Rev. F. J. Moody, pastor of the Chino Baptist, occupied the pulpit at the local Baptist Church yesterday.

A foreign-missionary service was conducted at the Presbyterian Church yesterday by Rev. J. F. Garvin, a missionary worker from Valparaiso, Chile. This evening a reception was given at the church for Mr. Garvin and his family and Miss A. E. Garvin, his sister, who has been a missionary for twenty years at Osaka, Japan.

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WOULD BAR BILLIARDS IN LONG BEACH.

TABLE IN Y.M.C.A. ROOMS IS CAUSE OF CONTENTION.

Removal of Offending Attraction is Agreed to, but Conditions Have not Yet Been Carried Out—Baptist Young People—Burnett Postoffice.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 19.—The question of tolerating a billiard table at the Young Men's Christian Association has stirred up a warm discussion. In the interest of harmony a conditional agreement has been made, but the conditions have not yet been carried out. If they are carried out the billiard table will be banished from the rooms of the association.

The Y.M.C.A. was established in Long Beach over a year ago and rooms for it were procured in the Lowe Block. The lower floor is occupied by the postoffice. Gymnasium apparatus was installed, but the use of it by the athletic young men created a disturbance. As would happen in any such case, the people on the lower floor received a greatly-magnified impression of the noise, and steps had to be taken to do away with the racket. The use of the "gym" apparatus was abandoned and attractions of a quieter sort were installed. Among the things introduced was a billiad table, which was donated by a friend of the institution.

The billiad table has since been in use in the Y.M.C.A. rooms and is still there. The number of young men who have come to the rooms has been gratifyingly large and their behavior is said by one of the directors of the association to have been very good.

Some time ago the Young Women's Christian Improvement Association of Long Beach issued invitations to a reception which was to be tendered to Dr. Shaw, the secretary of the Y.M.C.A. and to Mrs. Shaw. Afterward the question of the billiard table was raised, and the invitations were withdrawn on account of the billiard table, so it is understood.

A meeting of those interested in the matter was held Saturday evening at the home of ex-Mayor and Mrs. C. J. Walker, at which those present were entertained with refreshments.

Secretary Shaw advocated a liberal policy in dealing with the young men who visit the association rooms. Rev. H. B. Gage, pastor of the Long Beach Presbyterian Church, and Rev. A. W. Adkinson, pastor of the Long Beach Methodist Church, spoke against permitting such a thing as a billiard table in the association rooms. Rev. Charles Pease, pastor of the Long Beach Congregational Church; Rev. Mr. Murphy, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church of Long Beach; Rev. Frank L. Norton, pastor of the Long Beach Baptist Church, and Rev. Mr. Wilson, pastor of the Long Beach Methodist Church, South, were present and most of them spoke in favor of a liberal policy for the Y.M.C.A.

Frank C. Yeomans, one of the directors of the Y.M.C.A., speaking for himself and others, said he could see no objection to having a billiard table in the Y.M.C.A. rooms. He explained how the billiard table and other attractions had been introduced as a substitute for the gymnasium apparatus, which, because of the racket produced, could not be used in the association's present quarters. In the interest of harmony, however, he said he was willing that the billiard feature should be eliminated on condition that quarters for the Y.M.C.A. be provided where the use of gymnasium apparatus could be resumed. He said that he wished it to be understood that in making such a concession in the interest of harmony he was not conceding a single point of his belief that a billiard table under proper surroundings is not harmful.

The following was adopted: "Resolved, that we will do all in our power to further the best interests of the Long Beach Y.M.C.A.; that we will, as far as possible, forget past differences and work hand in hand with Dr. Shaw for the upliftment of the young men of Long Beach."

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

Rev. Walter Calley, general secretary of the Baptist Young People's Union, and a number of co-workers from Los Angeles and elsewhere, were present at meetings of the Long Beach branch of that body this afternoon and evening. The feature of the afternoon was an address by the general secretary, which was an inspiriting account of the accomplishments of the past and an appeal for even better things in the future. Mrs. Alice Wallwork conducted the devotional exercises and Rev. Joseph Smale of Los Angeles had charge of the Christian Culture Course. Junior work was in charge of Miss Clara Fenner of Pomona.

At the close of the afternoon exercises the ladies of the church entertained the visitors at supper. In the evening P. E. Hatch, president of the Long Beach Board of Trade, delivered an address of welcome to the distinguished guest, and Mr. Calley responded. Rev. Frank L. Norton had the evening's devotions in charge, and Miss Carrie Hart sang.

BURNETT POSTOFFICE.

An interesting contest is on for the appointment of postmaster at Burnett, northeast of Long Beach, on the Salt Lake road. The incumbent is W. H. Johnson, and the acting postmaster is his daughter, Miss Vera Johnson, whose services are said to have generally given satisfaction. I. W. Patterson, a storekeeper, is seeking the appointment. He has shown a letter from a Senator from Michigan, who knows some of Patterson's relatives, in which epistle the Senator assures Mr. Patterson that he will be appointed.

LONG BEACH NOTES.

Joseph Mims, the colored man charged with burglary, and in whose possession a miscellaneous quantity of merchandise was found, was brought before Justice Brayton for preliminary examination today. He was held for trial in the Superior Court. A lot of the articles found in his possession have been identified by people who claim to own them.

A big piece of grading is being done for the Seaside Water Company, west of Daisy street, between Sixth and Eleventh streets, which locality is in the northwestern part of town. Robert Sherer & Co., the contractors, have 145 mules employed on the job. When the grading there is completed, another similar piece of work is to be done near Asbury Station.

Invitations have been extended to the public for a social gathering at Hotel Riviera this evening, at which the facilities which have been installed there for sanitarium work may be expected.

A. M. Goodhue is suffering from ptomaine poisoning.

Frank Gray and Mrs. Louise Selfridge were married today at the home of his stepdaughter, Mrs. C. F. A. Johnson. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Charles Pease. Mr. and Mrs. Gray will make their home in Long Beach.

Long Beach Lodge of Knights of Pythias and of Long Beach Temple of the Rathbone Sisters attended services at the Congregational Church Sunday evening, and listened to a sermon by the pastor, Rev. Charles Pease.

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EAGLE ROCK.

NEWS BREVITIES.

EAGLE ROCK, Jan. 19.—The Eagle Rock Improvement Association will meet next Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kightlinger gave a farewell party Saturday evening. About thirty guests were present, and danced until midnight.

Louis Gates of St. Paul, Minn., has been the guest of his brother, J. A. Gates.

J. A. Howard has been entertaining C. Wright of Springfield, Mo.

Louie Gates entertained a party of young friends at his home Saturday evening.

Finest winter climate in California. Hotel Redondo, Redondo Beach.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

The Robert E. Lee and the Los Angeles chapters, Daughters of the Confederacy, observed the birthday anniversary yesterday of Gen. Robert E. Lee, the Confederate leader. The Los Angeles Chapter, of which Mrs. W. L. Graves is president, was tendered a reception in the afternoon at the handsome home of Mrs. H. D. Thomson, West Sixth street. There was a large attendance, and an enjoyable programme was rendered. Among those participating were Mrs. West Hughes, Mrs. J. G. Scarborough and Mrs. Sheldon Borden, who rendered vocal solos; Miss Smith, who gave a recitation, and Rev. Mr. Sibley of Azusa, who read an oration written by himself when he graduated from Yale, "A Tribute to Gen. Robert E. Lee."

The rooms were beautifully decorated with a profusion of carnations in the Confederate colors, red and white, and dainty refreshments were served.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter held its celebration in the evening in the Camera Club rooms, the president, Mrs. W. R. Gosewisch, presiding. The Programme Committee, Mrs. W. A. Hutton, Mrs. J. F. Parder and Mrs. W. A. Horne, had arranged the following good entertainment: Instrumental solo, Miss Susie Ponder; recitation, Miss Mae Owens; violin solo, John Cocke, accompanied by Miss M. Holmes; song, Miss Grace Smith; recitation, Mrs. Hawcroft; song, Mr. Aspinwall; song, Miss Pattie Lee Kendrick, accompanied by Miss Rimfaur; "Dixie," Miss Lola Tiemann.

The hall was decorated with the national flags and the red and white of the Confederacy. Refreshments were served and an hour of informal pleasure closed the evening.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter was the recipient a few days ago, from Mrs. Van Wyck of San Francisco, of a gavel made from the bannister rail in the old Lee home at Richmond, Va.

Card Matinee.

Mrs. Aug. R. Marquis entertained at cards at her residence, No. 1940 Union avenue. The house was decorated in roses, poinsettias, geraniums, plumosa and smilax. The fortunate contestants were: Mrs. Hauerwaas, who received a Bohemian cut-glass vase; Mrs. Koebig, a Bohemian cologne bottle with gold mounting, and Mrs. Todd, as consolation, a metal rabbit match safe. Those present were: Mrs. C. B. Dickson, Mrs. Fred W. Beau de Zart, Miss Rose Stendle, Mrs. John Hauerwaas, Mrs. C. M. Seeley, Mrs. Robert A. Todd, Mrs. C. M. Wallace, Mrs. Aug. R. Marquis, Mrs. H. Van Bergen, Mrs. H. B. Davis, Mrs. William A. Avery, Mrs. C. H. Poll, Mrs. Charles Merrill, Mrs. F. Edwards, Mrs. W. C. Vallikett, Mrs. A. H. Koebig, Mrs. William Cowan, Mrs. M. James, Mrs. J. W. Barnes.

Notes and Personals.

The Los Angeles Country Club will give a dance this evening at its quarters on Pico street. The members have each the privilege of inviting one resident guest, and those holding visitors' cards are welcome.

Miss Estelle M. Barstow of Napa is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lora Variel of No. 2237 Michigan avenue.

Miss Eugene Rixon left yesterday for a visit to Chicago, and will be gone indefinitely.

Cards are out for the marriage reception of Miss Lena Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lyman Wilson, and Arthur Kelsey Rebard, next Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, No. 209 East Adams street.

Maj. and Mrs. Joseph Hardie, who are annual visitors to the Coast, are in the city, and have taken rooms for the winter at the Melrose, No. 130 South Grand avenue.

Mrs. Dwight Whiting is expected home this week from a visit of several weeks with her son, who is at school in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin Howland have moved to No. 214 West Ninth street. Mrs. Howland will be at home the first and third Fridays.

The Philolethea Club will meet tomorrow evening, 3 o'clock to 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Atwood of Stonington, Ct., with their daughter, Miss Annie, are registered at the Van Nuys Hotel, and will spend the winter here. Miss Lois Salisbury of Menlo avenue gave a pretty violet luncheon Saturday, when Miss Annie was guest of honor. Places were set for fourteen.

No Wife, no Job.

The management of the Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News Railway has decided that the bachelor is in the way and ought to be eliminated. Henceforth, in accordance with a rule that has just been adopted, no unmarried man need apply for jobs on the line mentioned, and it will be hardly in accordance with the fitness of things if the women of Massachusetts fail to recognize this humane and praiseworthy action on the part of the company. A vote of confidence at least should be forthcoming.—[Chicago Record-Herald.

MINES AND MINING.

ARIZONA NEGLECTED FIELD FOR TRADE.

LOCAL MERCHANTS MUST REACH OUT FOR BUSINESS.

Denver and San Francisco Supply Houses Butting In—Gypsy Mine Sensation—James Jeffries Copper Claims Sold—Cananea Shake-up Expected.

"Los Angeles merchants don't reach out enough; if they did they would be able to increase their business in Arizona fully 50 per cent," said Jack Rivers, a well-known mining man of the Territory, in this city yesterday.

Rivers is superintendent of the property of the Success Copper Company, a corporation backed by Epes Randolph, T. E. Gibbon, Robert Marsh, and other prominent local capitalists, and is in the city purchasing supplies and machinery for the company's camp that is now one of the largest in the district.

"Quartzsite is the center of considerable activity," said he, "and, in fact, there is more doing at present in the large camps of the Territory than ever before. More machinery is being installed, and more supplies are consumed, but apparently Los Angeles merchants and manufacturers are making no greater efforts than formerly to corral the increased trade. The result is, San Francisco and Denver are supplying many of the districts with machinery, that could be reached by Los Angeles houses, which would have the advantage of lower shipping rates in their favor."

Mr. Rivers states that especially in the machinery line the possibilities of trade are enormous. While it is a fact that many of the local supply houses are as well stocked, as any in San Francisco or Denver, this fact has not been properly brought to the attention of Arizona operators, many of whom are not aware that Los Angeles merchants and manufacturers are up on all the new wrinkles, and are able to furnish many articles at rates that cannot be met by either San Francisco or Denver supply houses.

In the Quartzsite camp five hoisting plants have been installed within the past four months, and the improvements now under way in that district will require the expenditure of many thousands of dollars. On the property of the Success Copper Company a big working shaft is being sent in, and other important developments have been planned.

Col. Bradshaw, who has mining interests in Northern California and Arizona, is also in the city. He exhibits samples of placer gold from the gravel of the Quartzsite district, that look like nuggets of the Klondike variety.

JAMES JEFFRIES GROUP SOLD.

A strong mining proposition known as the James Jeffries group of copper claims, has just been knocked down by a Boston syndicate. This property is situated in the Castle Creek district of Arizona and although only a prospect, it is believed to be in the championship class.

A feature of the sale is the fact that the syndicate is headed by a woman, Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, and it was through her negotiations that a sale was effected. The company will be organized in Boston to exploit the Jeffries group, and it is the purpose of the company to open it up on a large scale.

The price paid J. H. Asgart for the property was $11,000.

JALISCO MINES BONDED.

E. Garcia of San Francisco has bonded the Benito Juarez, La Ava and Tecolotes mines at Ameca, Jalisco, Mex. The consideration named is $25,000. It is Mr. Garcia's intention to begin the development of the properties acquired at once and if satisfactory showing is made he will purchase the properties.

CANANEA SHAKE-UP.

A shake-up is expected soon at Cananea. An El Paso mining man who recently visited the camp is authority for the rumor, and says that it is reported that W. C. Greene and a party of prominent stockholders of the Cananea Copper Company will arrive in Cananea, Sonora, in the very near future and that it is expected there will be "doings" when they arrive.

The visit of the stockholders is believed to be for the purpose of making some changes in the personnel of the officials of the company.

It is pretty generally understood at Cananea that Scott White's recent trip to New York was for the purpose of severing his connection with the company. At the present time Mr. White's place is being filled by John A. Campbell, who goes under the title of acting treasurer.

Many are of the opinion that it is the intention to make a general change in the force, and the fact that recently a good many mechanics and miners have been discharged from the service of the company, would bear out this statement.

GYPSY MINE SENSATION.

ALLEGED PERJURY CONFESSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sensational affidavit was filed today with the County Clerk in the case of G. W. Bedbury against P. H. Medlin and Burt Fisher, involving the title to the Gypsy mine near Mojave, recently decided for the defendants. The plaintiff now files this affidavit in support of a motion for a new trial.

The affiant is Henry Brown of Los Angeles. He says that in December last he talked with one Thomas Walley regarding the whereabouts of Charlie Stewart, a witness for the defendant. Walley said that they had beaten the case with Stewart, but that it had been necessary for them to go up and build a monument where there was none, and they had taken a bunch of fellows to look at it, and then they had gone into court and sworn that that was one of the monuments put up by the Bedbury boys five or six years ago, but Thomas Walley said that the monument was put up after the suit was commenced.

Brown then says that as soon as he heard this he went to the plaintiff's attorney, Charles W. Kelsey of Los Angeles, and told him of the conversation, and the latter prepared the affidavit which he signed.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	12	Mexican	149
Andes	14	Occidental Con	6
Belcher	47	Ophir	76
Chelsea	2.0	Overman	62
Challenge Con	26	Potosi	41
Chollar	27	Savage	6
Confidence	80	Sierra Nevada	89
Con. Cal. & Va	185	Silver Hill	44
Crown Point	47	Union Con	49
Gould & Curry	84	Utah Con	42
Hale & Norcross	70	Yellow Jacket	54
Justice	12		

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Royal Girls in Tights.

The facts are slowly leaking out about an extraordinary entertainment got up at Lord and Lady Howe's Christmas party in Gopsall. This consisted of a fancy-dress ball, confined to members of the house party, in which all the ladies appeared as male characters.

Lady Howe dressed as a Knight Templar. She wore a long black cloak, with a white cross, a two-handled sword, bright steel armor and helmet. Her sister, Lady Sarah Wilson, more daring, appeared as Prince Charlie in kilts, and made a very attractive young man.

Princess Henry of Pless made an extremely graceful Romeo. It was generally voted that she would make the fame of any chorus, her nether extremities are so "divinely" shaped.

Histrionically, the success of the evening was Mrs. George Cornwallis West, formerly Lady Randolph Churchill, who came as a roistering Spanish cavalier. She wore black silk tights, doublet and hose, a dark crimson velvet cloak trimmed with gold, had a sword, a great diamond blazing in her black sombrero, with drooping feathers, diamond buckles on her pretty shoes, and a black mustache, waxed and ferociously curled, like the Kaiser's.

The ladies were at first rather shy about entering the room in their unaccustomed, but most becoming costumes, and shrinkingly tried to hide their legs behind the skirts of their lady companions. This feeling soon wore off, and everything went gayly as possible. It was odd to see what appeared to be men dacing with men partners.

The affair was not to be talked about, it was understood, but it has come out, nevertheless, and excites the greatest interest.—[Cincinnati Enquirer.

Too Solemn for Her.

A very beautiful little tot of about five summers held a place yesterday in one of the Supreme Court seats, while the learned justices were handing down their weighty decisions. The court was the embodiment of dignity, so much so that it was almost oppressive. The little girl fidgeted in her place as the justices, in monotonous tones expounded fine points of law, and she shook her head, adorned with a big picture hat, in impatience.

Then came a pause. One justice ceased to speak, as he had given forth all he had to say on some important litigation. The silence was thick enough to be cut with a knife, as they sometimes say in the books.

The messenger by the noiseless folding doors shifted from one foot to the other, the throng of lawyers within the bar waited breathlessly for the next decision to be announced. Still no justice spoke.

It was more than the little girl with the picture hat could endure. "Mamma," said she, in a voice audible even up to the judicial bench, "why don't some one laugh?"—[Washington Post.

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Hamburger's ask no one's assistance in starting a movement, but go right ahead and do things in that approved style that has successfully built up the largest department store west of Chicago. Others are talking for the sake of a little cheap advertising about giving their employes four hours off Saturday nights—but not doing it, are they? Hamburger's, as usual, not only give more to their patrons for their money than any other store; but are giving more to their employes. Their latest generous action is in opening the store at 8:30 and closing at 5:30; whereby the employes' hours are reduced 5½ hours a week or 36 working days a year. Hamburger's never ask any one to help them run their business, but they have the Yankee pluck to run their business as they see fit. Others have tried to run it for them but have utterly failed. The immense increase in our business the past year has forced us to use our entire basement, 125x150 feet, for a salesroom which is larger than the main floor of any store in the city. This new department is filled with standard goods—all underpriced.

On Jan. 1st, we also opened two foreign offices; one at 45 De Clichy, Paris, managed by Mr. D. A. Hamburger; the other at Yokohoma, Japan, with headquarters at the Grand Hotel and is to be managed by Mr. M. A. Hamburger. These arrangements will enable us this year to offer our public the highest novelties in foreign goods at importers' prices; as they will come direct from the factory to our counters without any middleman's profits. Hamburger's is the "Safest Place to Trade" for "What Others Advertise We Sell for Less."

Table Linens worth up $2.50 at $1.

As an exceptional trade winner for today's selling, we offer 25 pieces of Extra Fine Bleached German Table Linen in the extra widths 84, 88 and 90 inches. They are all in handsome patterns, are satin finished, and have sold at $1.60, $1.69, $2.00, $2.25 and $2.50. All of them to be included today in our Cleanup Sale at, choice, per yard..... **$1.00**

Cleanup Sale Jardinieres.

A few jardinieres with potted plants make a home particularly attractive in the winter season. We also include in this sale a lot of artificial plants which look well and need no attention. The combination is a very good one especially desirable when you want to make a well heated room attractive, for any kind of heat will wither plants unless they are carefully attended. This applies especially to the parlors of rooming houses and hotels.

7-INCH JARDINERES—finely glazed; a deep blue or cream white with gold tracing; also a few light and dark brown jardinieres. They have sold up to now at 85c. Cleanup sale price each..... **49c**

8 AND 9 INCH JARDINIERES—assorted colors and sizes; all have prettily embossed work and are well glazed. The values range up to $1.50. Priced for our Cleanup Sale at choice..... **98c**

6½ INCH JARDINIERES—made with plain edge; the coloring a dark brown. This assortment has sold up to now at $2.25. Cleanup Sale price, choice..... **$1.69**

OTHER JARDINIERES—an assortment of 9, 9½ and 10 inch jardinieres; the coloring a deep brown. Most of them have been slightly chipped, which can be easily remedied at home; values in the lot up to $5.98. Clearance Sale price, choice..... **$1.98**

TOKANABN JARDINIERES—18 inch size; handsome Japanese dragon effects; prettily gold decorated; our own importation and have sold up to now at $5.50. Cleanup Sale price, choice.. **$2.49**

ARTIFICIAL PLANTS—Chamoraps palms; 36 inches high; have six leaves; are in decorated flower pots. Cleanup Sale price..... **59c**

CYRUS PALMS—36 inches high a very pretty decorative plant with pot. Cleanup Sale price.. **$1.19**

DECORATIVE GRASSES—For table or window decorations; 22 inches high and in pretty embossed floral pots. Cleanup Sale price..... **39c**

"ELEGANZ" PALM TREES—Just the thing for decorating restaurants and hotels or large private dwellings. These are in wooden pots and priced as follows:

4 FT. SIZE $4.98
5 FT. SIZE $6.98

THIRD FLOOR

98c Cambric Drawers at 48c.

An assortment of 35 doz. ladies' fine cambric drawers, deep lawn ruffle, 2 rows torchon lace insertion and edge to match; have sold regularly at 98c; priced as a leader for today at choice, per pair..... **48c**

Cleanup Sale of Corsets at 50c.

An assortment of 100 doz. corsets in the new straight front model; colors pink, blue, white or black, prettily trimmed top and bottom with lace and are all of reliable makes. Specially priced for our Cleanup Sale at, per pair..... **50c**

SECOND FLOOR

Cleanup Sale Millinery.

Not alone will scores of pretty trimmed hats be offered but also superb lines of feathers and other hat trimmings. So if you want to rejuvenate your hats a little bit, here's a chance to save money. Everything in the department will be cleaned up before the new Spring goods arrive and prices have been cut below the cost of profit taking.

40c VIOLETS—Large bunches of violets; both natural color and white; they have long stems and plenty of foliage; can be used for pom pons; also for any hat trimming; sold regularly at 40c. Cleanup Sale price per bunch.. ..... **19c**

$1.50 FANCY FEATHERS—a large assortment of natural wings in two toned blue and black; also black and green; feather grebes in black and white, green parrots and fancy green birds; have sold up to now at 75c to $1.50. Cleanup Sale price, choice..... **29c**

$2.00 FANCY FEATHERS—this assortment includes fancy feather darts in black and white, blue and green and gray and white; also extra long feather grebes in black and white. These have sold up to now at from $1.00 to $2.00. Cleanup Sale price..... **49c**

$3.50 FANCY BIRDS — the lot includes a large assortment of two toned birds and wings, together with an assortment of feather grebes in black and white; have sold up to now at $2.00 to $3.50. Cleanup Sale price, choice..... **69c**

$1.50 HATS—An assortment of misses' and children's ready-to-wear hats in sailor shapes, trimmed with silk cord in new, bright colors; also two-toned hairy felt wide brim sailor shapes with corduroy binding and band. Cleanup Sale price, choice.. ..... **49c**

$5.00 TAILORED HATS—including turbans of stitched felt with folds; also walking shapes with drape of felt, caught with steel ornaments. They are just the thing to wear with any tailored costume. Have sold up to now at $5.00. Cleanup Sale price..... **$1.95**

$3.95 TRIMMED HATS—an assortment of pretty trimmed hats; best materials and trimmings black silk ribbons, chiffon wings; also sailor shapes draped with veils, trimmed with ostrich feather pom pons and aigrettes; values up to $3.95. Cleanup Sale price **$1.95**

$4.95 TRIMMED HATS—including Turbans with drape of felt and chiffon veil with chenille pom pons as trimming; also flat shapes of felt, trimmed with ribbon and wings; values up to $4.95. Cleanup Sale price choice..... **$2.95**

$7.50 TRIMMED HATS—About fifty hats, each possessing an individuality of its own. The turbans are made of strips of felt in black and white, trimmed with violet pom pons; also all-white hats trimmed with white violets and lace. These are but two of the many. All of them are late styles and not a one in the lot worth less than $7.50. Cleanup sale price choice..... **$3.95**

SECOND FLOOR

98c Kimonos at 69c

Good quality Flannelette Kimonos—a large assortment of patterns including the new Persian effects; nicely made; prettily finished and have sold up to now at 98c. A rare winner for our Cleanup Sale at, each..... **69c**

SECOND FLOOR

HAMBURGER'S UNDER-PRICE BASEMENT

A Successful Double Play.

The crowds that thronged the great store yesterday was a fitting testimonial that the Los Angeles public appreciate how Hamburger's do things. Everything is always as advertised, so none were disappointed. Our new "Under-Price" basement was opened under the most favorable conditions, and as a first day for our "Yearly Cleanup Sale" all previous records were shattered. While we were prepared to handle large crowds and do a big business, the results far exceeded our most sanguine expectations. This will be the greatest week in our merchandising, and more opportunities will be offered the public to purchase meritorious goods at little prices than possible for all combined competition to offer. The new basement will claim your attention daily, and every other department of this great store will have some surprisingly choice bargains. To not come is to regret letting the best money-saving opportunities of the year go by.

Table Glass Ware—a large assortment, including vases, creamers, spooners, candy trays, jelly dishes and like articles, worth up to 20c; prices at each..... 10c

Enameled Wash Basins—12-inch size; worth 23c; sale price..... 9c

Milk Pitchers—3 qt. size; white or decorated; worth 55c; sale price..... 29c

Jardiniere and Pedestal—blue, green or pink; 18 inches high; worth $1.19; sale price..... 49c

Odd Lace Curtains—a good assortment of them. Have sold regularly at 50c to $1.00; clean-up sale price, choice... 25c

Flannelette Skirt Patterns—an assortment of 100 dozens; light and dark colors; worth 25c; priced for Tuesday..... 17c

Japanese Tea Pots—3 cup size; blue decorated; worth 15c; sale price..... 7c

Enameled Chambers—9½-inch size; double coated ware; worth 45c; sale price..... 29c

50c All-Wool Homespun Plaids—an assortment of 25 pieces; large and small plaids with fake effect; 36 inches wide; worth 50c; sale price per yard..... 25c

50c Muslin Gowns—heavy quality; trimmed with tucks on yoke; sale price..... 25c

20c White Lawn Aprons—ladies' or children's sizes; trimmed with lace or embroidery; sale price..... 12½c

$1.00 Percale Wrappers—dark or medium colors; trimmed with ruffles and finishing braid; made with deep flounce; sale price..... 59c

Children's Outing Flannel Dresses—sizes 1, 2 and 3 years. These are in pretty fancy stripes; trimmed with braid; sell regularly at 35c; sale price..... 19c

Odd Lot Corsets—about 100 odd corsets in the following makes: Her Majesty, P. D., J. C., Z. Z., and W. B., have sold at $2.75, $3.50 and $4.00; sale price, choice..... 25c

5c Pillow Cords—assorted colors; prices for the clean-up sale at per yard..... 3c

5c Crochet Cotton—on spools; good assortment of popular colors; sale price..... 1c

Assorted Yarns—bunches which have sold at 10c and 15c; priced for the clean-up at per bunch..... 5c

Men's 65c Golf Shirts, 39c

An assortment of 200 dozens Fine Golf Shirts in Percales, Cheviots, Madras and Piques; have plain or plaited fronts and cuffs are attached or detached. There is a good assortment of light and dark colors and sizes range 14 to 17. These shirts are an actual 65c value and were recently purchased by our New York buying organization from a large wholesale house to close out the surplus stock. They are all well made, good fitting and retail anywhere at 65c and 75c. An introductory leader to popularize our new basement, at, choice..... **39c**

BASEMENT.

Cleanup Sale of Dress Goods.

There are hundreds of parts of pieces of the finest weaves both foreign and domestic included in this sale and in full line of colors; also black. Anticipate your wants for most of these weaves will still be popular another season, but as our new spring goods will soon be in, nearly everything at present in stock has been listed for our Cleanup Sale. For today we specially feature the four following lines:

$1.00 Scotch Wool Waistings—Several thousand yards of an imported Scotch wool waisting; light shades in fancy stripes and mixtures; also printed warp Scotch stripes. They are strictly all wool, full 27 in. wide and have sold up to now at $1. Cleanup Sale price per yd **49c**

52-inch Satin Finished Venetian Cloth—80 solid bolts of this handsome cloth for tailored suits and separate skirts in the new shades of tan, gray, castor, red, brown, green and Oxford; some twilled, others have smooth face similar to Broadcloth. They are pure wool, 52 inches wide and have sold up to now at $1.00. Cleanup Sale price per yard..... **69c**

$1.50 and $2.00 Dress Goods—A generous assortment including many of the new weaves such as 54-inch Panama Natte Cloth, Homespuns, Snowflakes, nub yarn Crash cloth, plaid back Golf cloth; also 50-inch Crash cloth and 56-inch Scotch Tweeds. None of these goods have previously sold under $1.50 and many of them up to $2.00. All priced for our Cleanup Sale at choice per yard..... **89c**

$1.50 Imported Venetian Cloth—A superior quality of imported cloth in shades of royal, navy, cadet, tan, castor, gray, mode, green, purple, red and black. This Venetian is satin finished, small twill effect and equal to French Broadcloth; 52 inches wide; pure wool and never sold under $1.50, Cleanup Sale price per yard..... **$1.00**

$2 Tucked Wool Waistings at

One of the most meritorious offerings of our Sale. An assortment of more than 50 pieces inch tucked wool waistings in Henriette, and Granite weaves; colorings blue, red, also plain black and white and their The patterns fancy Persians, cords and with small tucks; they are 32 inches wide and have sold up to now at $2.00. Cleanup Sale price today, per yard..... $1.

Cleanup Sale Tapestries.

Plate Tapestries at One-Half and Less.

You know how much a new tapestry here and there will rejuvenate a room or a home and you like to see your house look just as pretty as your neighbor's; so do a little economizing if necessary and attend this great Cleanup sale of ours this week for we offer you a handsome line of fine Tapestries at about one half what they usually sell for and in some cases less than they cost to make. The weaves as well as the patterns are all good and you will find them a profitable investment.

FURNITURE COVERING—Armure weave; double faced Tapestry; very suitable and serviceable for furniture and draperies; the kind which is sold regularly at 50c. Priced for our Cleanup sale at per yard..... **25c**

SATIN RUSSE TAPESTRY—a good heavy quality of a tapestry which is especially desirable for furniture and draperies. It is 50 inches wide, good colors and patterns; sells reg. at 40c. Cleanup sale price per yd.. **29c**

GORDON REPS—These are the best quality. They not only make good curtains but are especially desirable for cushion tops. Colorings are good and patterns pretty; sell regularly at 75c. Cleanup Sale price a yard..... **40c**

ORIENTAL TAPESTRIES—An extra grade; reproductions of the foreign goods; also satin faced Tapestry and Reps with self-toned figures both sides. There are 1000 yards in the lot and they are equally serviceable for draperies, furniture coverings and hangings for cosy corners; sold regularly from $1.00 to $1.50 a yard. Cleanup Sale price a yard..... **69c**

MERCERIZED T... about 800 yards... They are all in... signs, good colo... able for furniture... draperies; sold regularly at 85. Cleanup sale price a yard..... ...

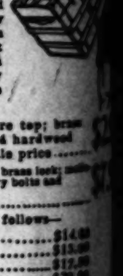
FRENCH TAPE... of imported goods... colorings; cozy ... and among the ... the goods the pa... have sold up to $2... Cleanup sale price per yard..... ...

SILK GOBELIN TA... mellow tints, making ... of furniture cover... interior decorations... serviceable weave and... have sold regularly at $2.50 a yard. Cleanup sale price a yard..... ...

SATIN DAMASK—a ... than which there is no ... superior. They are in ... and colorings and are ... draperies and ... have sold regularly at $2.00. Cleanup sale price per yard..... ...

FOURTH FLOOR

Cleanup Sale of Trunks.



In remodeling our new basement department we have made special room in which to carry all trunks in future. As our new spring line will soon be in we have about forty sample trunks which we desire to close out before that time. They have become slightly marred in handling but their usefulness is in no way impaired. Now, in order to get rid of them we have taken such a deep cut in price that you will appreciate that this is the time when you want to be a little forehanded and supply yourself with one of these needfuls for some future trip.

28-INCH CANVAS COVERED TRUNK—square top; brass lock; malleable iron clamps; strong bolts; 4 hardwood top slats; regular price $4.25. Cleanup sale price.....

36-INCH CANVAS COVERED TRUNK—square top; brass lock; malleable iron corner bumpers; solid leather straps; heavy bolts and hinges; three strap hinges and knee bands; regular price $10.00. Cleanup Sale price.....

Other trunks reduced proportionately as follows—

$17.50 trunks reduced to.....
$18.50 trunks reduced to.....
$22.50 trunks reduced to.....
$25.00 trunks reduced to.....
$27.50 trunks reduced to.....
$23.50 trunks reduced to.....
$32.50 trunks reduced to.....

BASEMENT

Cleanup Sale of Skirts.

Almost every lady finds it convenient to have a skirt or two to wear with shirt waists. It saves general uses of a pretty costume and yet you dislike the time to have a separate skirt make. This sale will an opportunity for the purchase of a pretty skirt style at about the price the material alone would

$6.50 Dress or Walking Skirts — A lot of 300 all-wool textiles; lined or unlined; trimmed with satin bands and cords of self material. They were all included in our $6.50 line earlier in the season. Cleanup Sale price..... **$3.98**

$7.50 Black Dress Skirts —A lot of 150 in all wool Serges and Etamines; prettily trimmed with satin bands and ruffles; have sold regularly at $7.50. Cleanup Sale price, choice... **$5.00**

$20.00 Silk Skirts — only; either Peau de Soie or feta; trimmed with Chiffon actually worth $30.00. Cleanup Sale price..... **$10**

$29.00 Black Silk ... Our entire line of ... and Taffeta Silk ... with kilt and ... bands of self material. ... among the handsomest ... son, and have sold up to ... $29.00. Cleanup sale price, choice..... **$16**

SECOND FLOOR.

$10.00 Kersey Jackets at $5.00

Just 100 Fine Kersey Jackets in misses' and small ... colors tan, castor, or blue; have good quality satin lining and are prettily made in good style; have sold up to now at $10.00. Cleanup Sale price... **$5**

SECOND FLOOR